

## Acknowledgments

*The family is deeply grateful to all of the individuals and groups who have in so many ways expressed their love, admiration and respect during the illness and passing of our beloved husband, father and grandfather—  
Asa Timothy Spaulding, Sr.*

*May God bless you all.*

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## A Tribute

Asa Timothy Spaulding, Sr.  
July 22, 1902-September 5, 1990

## *A Tribute*

**Asa T. Spaulding, Sr.**



*"There is a wide range between the minimum requirement of holding a job and the maximum possibilities of that job. And any job or position will expand or shrink to the size of the person holding it."*



## Obituary

**Asa Timothy Spaulding, Sr.**  
July 22, 1902-September 5, 1990

Asa Timothy Spaulding, Sr. was a leader and business executive of long-standing. He may best be remembered as the fifth president of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company (1959-1967), the largest black financial institution in the world.

Born July 22, 1902 in Columbus County, NC, the son of Armstead Spaulding and Annie Bell Lowery, Mr. Spaulding attended New York University (B.S. in Accounting, Magna Cum Laude, 1930) and University of Michigan (M.A. in Mathematics and Actuarial Science, 1932). He received a number of honorary degrees from such institutions as Howard University, Duke University, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, North Carolina Central University and Campbell University.

Always involved in local concerns, Mr. Spaulding was an energetic leader on behalf of various civic, cultural and human welfare organizations in the community. He was also a man of many firsts-the first black actuary in the United States, the first actuary of the National Negro Insurance Association and the first black county commissioner in Durham.

Mr. Spaulding left his mark on the national scene as well, serving as counsel to national business and government leaders and as an advocate of justice and peace throughout the world. In 1955 President Dwight D. Eisenhower appointed him as vice chairman of the UNESCO delegation to India and designated him as his personal representative to meet with Prime Minister Nehru. He was appointed to a number of overseas missions to Africa and Central America by presidents Gerald R. Ford and Jimmy Carter.

In 1979, President Carter honored Mr. Spaulding and 14 other blacks as "potentially unsung heroes" for their contributions to society. Along with his wife of 57 years, Elna Bridgeforth Spaulding, he traveled to Cairo, Egypt in 1983 to the World Conference On Peace Through Law.

Asa T. Spaulding, Sr. leaves his wife Elna; four children, Asa, Jr., Patricia Ann, Aaron Lowery and Kenneth Bridgeforth; and six grandchildren, Pamela, Frederick, Asa T., III, Elna, Chandler and Courtney.

## Order of Service

**ORGAN PRELUDE**  
Dr. Robert Owens

**PROCESSIONAL**

**HYMN**  
"He Leadeth Me" -Number 45

**SCRIPTURE**  
The Reverend Lorenzo A. Lynch, Pastor  
White Rock Baptist Church

**PRAYER**  
The Reverend Haywood Holderness, Pastor  
Westminster Presbyterian Church

**ACKNOWLEDGMENTS**  
Bert Collins, President/CEO  
North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company

**EULOGY**  
The Reverend Miles M. Fisher, IV, President  
University of District of Columbia, Washington, DC

**ANTHEM**  
"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

**TRIBUTE**  
John Hope Franklin  
Historian

**CLOSING PRAYER**

**RECESSIONAL**

Interment will be at Beechwood Cemetery  
The Reverend Lorenzo A. Lynch presiding

## **ACTIVE PALLBEARERS**

Officials of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company

## **HONORARY PALLBEARERS**

Trustees  
White Rock Baptist Church

Officers and Directors  
North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company

Officers and Directors  
Mechanics and Farmers Bank

Officers and Directors  
Mutual Savings and Loan Association

Trustees  
North Carolina Central University

Trustees  
Howard University

Trustees  
Shaw University

Durham County Board of Commissioners

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Officers and Directors  
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Members of Beta Phi Chapter  
Omega Psi Phi Fraternity

A.S. Hunter F. and A.M. Lodge #825

Moore-Kennedy Bible Class  
White Rock Baptist Church

## **FLORAL BEARERS**

Women-In-Action for the Prevention of Violence and Its Causes

National Council of Negro Women

Links, Inc. of Durham

Susie V. Norfleet Sunday School Class

Alpha Zeta Omega Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority

Maud E. Logan District, White Rock Baptist Church



THE MAUDE E. LOGAN DISTRICT  
of  
Durham's White Rock Baptist Church  
HONORS



*Asa Timothy Spaulding*

*Fifth President*

NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

*Churchman, Businessman, Statesman*

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1959

7:30 P. M.



# PROGRAM

C. C. SPAULDING, JR., *Presiding*

ORGAN PRELUDE ..... John H. Gattis

HYMN—"Guide Me, Oh Thou Great Jehovah" ... Choir and Congregation

SCRIPTURE ..... Mrs. Hattie Boykin

PRAYER ..... L. W. Davis

"OH PRAISE YE GOD"—Kopylov ..... North Carolina College Choir

## GREETINGS:

*Sunday School* ..... N. B. White

*Board of Christian Education* ..... J. W. Carrington

*Trustee Board* ..... J. W. Goodloe

*City of Durham* ..... Mayor E. J. Evans

*National and International Regions* ..... Dr. Helen G. Edmonds

*Board of Directors of North Carolina Mutual  
Life Insurance Company* ..... W. J. Kennedy, Jr.

*Durham Committee on Negro Affairs* ..... Attorney J. H. Wheeler

"CONCERTO IN A MINOR" ..... Grieg

*Adagio*

*Allergo Marcato*

MRS. BARBARA L. COOKE, PIANO

MRS. LAVENIA PARKER, ORGAN

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER ..... Dr. D. B. Cooke, Jr.

ADDRESS ..... Dr. Alfonso Elder  
PRESIDENT, NORTH CAROLINA COLLEGE

"BEAUTIFUL SAVIOUR"—Christiansen ... North Carolina College Choir

PRESENTATION OF GIFT ..... Mrs. Lyda F. Wray

RESPONSE ..... Asa T. Spaulding

RECOGNITION OF GUESTS

REMARKS — OFFERING — BENEDICTION... Pastor Miles Mark Fisher

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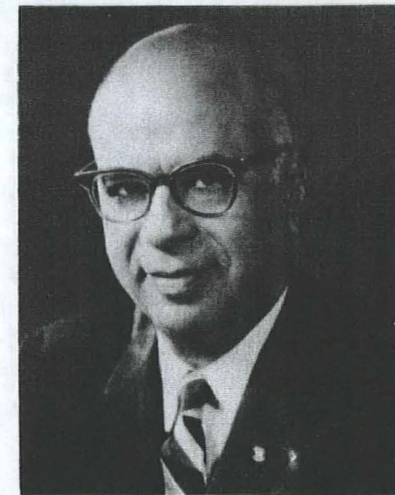
**WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH**

3400 Fayetteville Street  
Durham, North Carolina 27707

**Founded 1866**

**BROTHERHOOD DAY**

A TRIBUTE TO  
**ASA TIMOTHY SPAULDING SR.**



*An Advocate of Justice  
Love and Peace*

*Programs courtesy of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company*

Sunday, March 13, 1994

10:55 a.m.



## OUR SPEAKER



*Julius L. Chambers*

There has been so much written about **Julius L. Chambers, Chancellor of North Carolina Central University**, during the past twelve months until anything else written about him will have to be "Future News." Well, people of his stature, his popularity, and his great knowledge and reputation: will claim the media attention. So we do not apologize for repeating some of the things you have seen or heard before.

Yes, he was born in Mt. Gilead, North Carolina. He received his B.A. Degree from North Carolina Central University, Summa Cum Laude in 1958; the M.A. Degree from the University of Michigan in 1959; the Juris Doctor Degree from the University of North Carolina with high

honors in 1964. There he was a member of the Order of the Golden Fleece, the highest honor society at the University.

Other honors he received included honorary degrees from St. Augustine College, North Carolina Central University, Johnson C. Smith University, Northeastern University, Amherst College, Albany New York Law School, Honorary Fellow of the University of Pennsylvania Law School, Columbia University Medal for Excellence, and the Distinguished Alumni Award from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Mr. Chambers has served on several boards which included North Carolina Central University, Board of Governors of North Carolina and President and Board Member of the NAACP Legal Defense Fund.

Among his present memberships, just to name a few, are the American Bar Association, National Bar Association, The Bar Association of New York City and State, the North Carolina Bar Association, and New Jersey Board of Higher Education.

Mr. Chambers is also a 33 degree Prince Hall Mason, member of Alpha Phi Alpha and Sigma Pi Phi Fraternities.

As Chancellor of North Carolina Central University he has set high goals. During his 1st year stint at NCCU he has increased fundraising and set tougher admission standards. He has pushed the City of Durham and the Triangle to give the same kind of support and respect to NCCU that other institutions in the state receive. He is committed to see that NCCU becomes a stronger citizen making a greater contribution to the growth and progress to our City and State.

He is married to the former Miss Vivian Giles of Kannapolis, North Carolina. They have 2 children; Derrick LeVonne and Judy LaVern.

White Rock is happy that Mr. Chambers has come to assist in giving new birth to Brotherhood Day.

## 1866 OUR 128TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION YEAR 1994

### Order Of Worship

"Let the first note of the organ bring worshipful silence"

*Mr. Leroy B. Frasier, Presiding*

Organ Prelude.....	"Chaconne".....	Dr. Paula J. Harrell
Choral Call To Worship.....	"Holy Ground".....	The Senior Choir
***Hymn of Praise .....	"Rise Up O Men of God".....	The Choir & Cong.
*Invocation.....		Mrs. Sylvia Kerckhoff Mayor, City of Durham
*Response to Prayer.....	"O Lord Have Mercy".....	The Choir
Scripture .....		Attorney Thomas M. Stern
*Response to Scripture .....	"Gloria Patri".....	The Choir
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The Occasion.....		Deacon John H. Lucas Chairman, Board of Deacons
Athem.....	"The Battle Hymn of the Republic".....	The Choir Dr. J. M. Schooler Jr.
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Announcements and Church Concerns.....		Dr. Joanne Packenham
Spiritual.....	"He's the Lily of the Valley".....	The Choir
Welcome and Recognition of Visitors.....		Deacon Lucas
Offering Sentence.....		Mr. Fraiser
Organ Selection.....	"On Jordan's Stormy Banks".....	Dr. Harrell
Offering.....		Deacons
Special Offering.....	"Brotherhood Day Program".....	The Youth
Prayer of Thanksgiving.....		Deacon Clyde Moore Jr.
Response to Offering.....	"All Things Come of Thee".....	The Choir
Duet.....	"He's Got the Whole World in His Hands"	Mrs. Latelle Vaughn and Mrs. Patricia L. Mercer
Introduction of Speaker.....		Mr. Asa T. Spaulding Jr.
Hymn.....	"In Christ There is No East or West".....	The Choir & Cong.
Brotherhood Day Message.....		Mr. Julius L. Chambers Chancellor, North Carolina Central University
Invitation to Church Membership.....		The Reverend Thelma Battle
*Hymn.....	"Blest Be the Tie That Binds".....	The Choir & Cong.
*Doxology....	"Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow".....	The Choir & Cong.
*Benediction.....		The Reverend Battle
*Response to Benediction.....	"Three-Fold Amen".....	The Choir
Organ Poslude.....	"Toccata in E Minor".....	Dr. Harrell

### OFFERING SENTENCE

"Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God which he has given you." Deuteronomy 16:17

\* = Please stand

\*\* = Please seat worshippers

\*\*\* = Please stand & seat worshippers



## PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Mr. Leroy B. Fraiser, Chairperson  
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Ms. Joyce Page  
Mr. Aaron Spaulding  
Mr. Asa T. Spaulding Jr.  
Mrs. Elna B. Spaulding  
Atty. Frances Dyer-Stewart  
Mrs. Chrystle B. Swain  
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## WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, March 13, 1994      Phone (919) 688-8136

1. MARCH 1994: CHOIR REHEARSALS - SENIOR - Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.; MALE CHORUS - Tuesdays, 8:00 p.m.; GOSPEL - Saturdays, 12:00 noon (except after fourth Sunday); CHILDREN'S - Thursday, 6:15 p.m.; YOUNG ADULTS - Saturdays, 11:00 a.m.; BOY SCOUTS, Saturdays, 9:00 a.m.; Room 66; EXPLORER SCOUTS (ages 14-20), 2nd & 4th Saturdays, 10:00 a.m., M-K Room; WELLNESS-FITNESS GROUP, Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9:00-10:30 a.m., FH; PRAYER GROUP, Wednesday, 12:00 Noon, FH.  
TODAY - 3:00 p.m. Durham County Missionary Youth Union, New Bethel Baptist Church, Durham.  
MONDAY 14 - 6:30 p.m. Deacons & Deaconess Meeting, Room 66 & FH.  
WEDNESDAY 16 - 10:00 a.m. Lenten Service, Lakeview Baptist Church.  
SATURDAY 19 - 10:00 a.m. General Baptist State Convention Summit Meeting, First Cosmopolitan Baptist Church, Raleigh.  
SUNDAY 20 - 3:30 p.m. Sarah E. Smith District Meeting, The Robert G. Thomases, 1301 Clinton Road.  
4:00 p.m. L.B. Farrington District Meeting, Mrs. W.B. White, 207 Pekoe Ave.  
MONDAY 21 - 6:30 p.m. Durham Usher's Union Meeting, Room 70.  
TUESDAY 22 - 2:00 p.m. Minerva Womack Missionary Group Meeting, Mrs. Blondola Lucas, 1502 Washington Street.  
WEDNESDAY 23 - 10:00 a.m. Missionaries' Lenten Service, FH.  
THURSDAY 24 - 7:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting, Library; Durham Committee Meeting, FH.  
SUNDAY 27 - 3:00 p.m. Durham County Missionary Union Mass Meeting, West Durham Baptist Church.  
4:00 p.m. "The Seven Last Words" presented by the Senior Choir, Sanctuary.  
MONDAY 28 - 1:00 p.m. Trustee Officers' Meeting, Library;  
6:30 p.m. Durham Junior Ushers' Meeting, Room 70;  
7:30 p.m. Board of Christian Education Meeting, Room 66.  
WEDNESDAY 30 - 10:00 a.m. Lenten Service, St. John Baptist Church.
2. WELCOME TO VISITORS: Register your presence in the guest book in the vestibule. Come to refreshments and fellowship in the fellowship hall after this worship. A nursery for children is provided in Room 146. Ask an usher or hostess. Thank you for worshipping here today.
3. CONTRIBUTIONS SUNDAY, MARCH 6, 1994: Current Offerings \$5,339.12; Church School \$75.69; Building Fund \$591.00; Elevator \$170.00; Stained Glass Window \$510.00; Special \$124.45; Use of Building \$487.50; Ill and Needy \$50.00; Meals after Funerals \$5.00; Wellness-Fitness \$10.00. TOTAL: \$7,362.76.



## THE MAN

*An Advocate of Justice, Love and Peace.*

### ASA TIMOTHY SPAULDING SR.

July 22, 1902 - September 5, 1990

Asa Timothy Spaulding Sr. was an outstanding leader in business and human affairs. He was a trustee of White Rock Baptist Church and the fifth president of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Born in Columbus County, North Carolina to Armstead Spaulding and Annie Bell Lowry, he earned a diploma at the National Training School, now North Carolina Central University, in 1923. Mr. Spaulding continued his education at New York University, where he received a B.S. degree (Magna Cum Laude) in accounting in 1930; and at the University of Michigan, where he earned the M.A. degree in mathematics and actuarial science in 1932.

Mr. Spaulding married the former Miss Elna Bridgeforth and they became the proud parents of Asa Jr., Patricia, Aaron and Kenneth.

The following institutions of higher education recognized Mr. Spaulding's accomplishments by conferring honorary degrees; Shaw University 1958; North Carolina College, 1960; University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill, 1967; Duke University, 1969, Morgan State College, 1961; Howard University, 1975; and St. Andrews Presbyterian College, 1972.

Mr. Spaulding was an energetic leader of several civic, religious, cultural and human affairs organizations in the community, state and nation. He became the first African American actuary in the United States of America and the first African-American member of the Durham County Board of Commissioners.

On national and world scenes, Mr. Spaulding served as a consultant for education, religious, civic, cultural, business and government leaders. He served on several Board of Directors of institutions, organizations and businesses throughout the nation. In 1955, President Dwight D. Eisenhower

appointed Mr. Spaulding as Vice Chairman of the UNESCO delegation to India and designated him as his personal representative to Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru. In addition, President Gerald R. Ford and Jimmy Carter appointed Mr. Spaulding to missions in Africa and Central America. In 1979, President Carter designated Mr. Spaulding along with fourteen other African Americans as "...unsung heroes" for their contributions to society. In 1983, Mr. and Mrs. Spaulding attended the World Conference on Peace Through Law in Cairo, Egypt.

Mr. Spaulding assisted his wife of 57 years in the organization of Women In Action for the Prevention of Violence and Its Causes in the Duham Community. In July, 1993, The Asa T. Spaulding Chair in the School of Business at North Carolina Central University was created and funded by a challenge gift from Wachovia Bank of North Carolina N.A.

### TRULY A MAN OF ALL SEASONS!

**Family - Church - Community - Business**

## THE PROJECT

During the mid-century, Mr. Asa Timothy Spaulding Sr. envisioned the need for pursuing the concept of love, compassion and understanding among people of different races, religions and classes.

He initiated, with the assistance of Dr. Miles Mark Fisher, pastor of White Rock Baptist Church, the annual celebration of Good-will, Race Relations and Brotherhood Sundays during the month of February, Mr. Spaulding, assisted by a Brotherhood Committee, would lead the worship service and host a brotherhood luncheon. He would use his influence to attract outstanding world personalities as guest speaker for each occasion.

White Rock Baptist Church, today, reinstates Good-will Day and Brotherhood Day. We observe this day in the memory of Mr. Spaulding who gave birth to an idea whose time has come.



## ASA T. SPAULDING

Born July 22, 1902 in Columbus County, North Carolina; married Miss Elna Bridgeforth of Athens, Alabama; four children: Asa Jr., Patricia Ann, Aaron Lowery, and Kenneth Bridgeforth.

Educated at National Training School (now North Carolina College), Howard University, New York University, University of Michigan, (M. A. in Mathematics and Actuarial Science,) L.L.D. (honorary) Shaw University, Recipient of several scholarships, awards, and prizes.

Director, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Mutual Savings and Loan Association, and John Avery Boys' Club.

Trustee of Shaw University, National Urban League, White Rock Baptist Church where he is teacher of the Shepard Bible Class.

Mr. Spaulding's memberships are too numerous for a complete listing. They include five mathematical, statistical, and actuarial groups; National Committee of Boy Scouts of America; Beta Gamma Sigma, national scholastic honor society, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; U. S. Delegation to the inauguration of President William V. S. Tubman of Liberia, U. S. Delegation to the 1956 General Conference of UNESCO, New Delhi, India, Durham Biracial Human Relations Committee, Vice-Chairman, N. C. Advisory Committee to the Commission on Civil Rights, American and Southern Institutes of Management. He is the author of numerous papers and articles on various aspects of life insurance, and the economical phases of life in America which have been widely acclaimed and distributed.

Listed in Who's Who in Insurance; Who's Who in Commerce and Industry, and the International Year Book and Statesman's Who's Who.

**RESOLUTION**

**ASA TIMOTHY SPAULDING, SR.**

Mr. Asa T. Spaulding, a businessman, executive, leader, politician and humanitarian has been called from among us. We pause to express our sympathy at his passing.

**WHEREAS,** Mr. Spaulding was an active businessman and a leader in our community when the Durham Business and Professional Chain was organized in 1938. He was a former President of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, a director of Mutual Savings and Loan Association, Mechanics and Farmers Bank and other corporations that were members of our organization; and

**WHEREAS,** he worked with the Chain from its early beginnings and served on our board and committees during the development of our organization; and

**WHEREAS,** he gave support and participation and helped develop some of the programs and ideas; and

**WHEREAS,** his participation extended to the National Business League of which the Chain is a member; and

**WHEREAS,** our programs were enhanced through his efforts and those of the corporations with which he was associated;

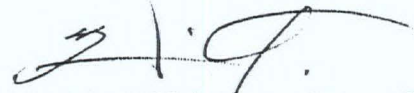
**BE IT RESOLVED THAT,** his contributions have helped many businesses and persons educationally and economically in developing and expanding their business programs and ideas, and they have made him a place among the outstanding business people of this community, state and nation.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT,** the directors, officers and members of the Durham Business and Professional Chain express our deepest sympathy to the family and our records will reflect this occasion. You have many friends sharing this with you.

This the eighth day of September, Nineteen Hundred and  
Ninety.

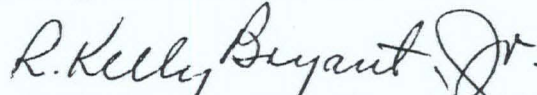
RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

DURHAM BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL CHAIN



F. V. Allison, Jr., Chairman  
Board of Directors

Larry M. Hester, President



R. Kelly Bryant, Jr., Secretary

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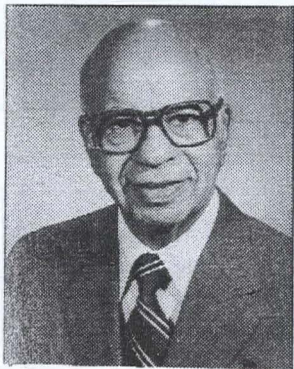
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# EDITORIALS

**ASA T. SPAULDING**

## A life of achievement

Asa T. Spaulding compiled a rare record of achievement in his 88 years, one that stands as a testimonial to his character and to his leadership in Durham's business, political, social and civic life.



**Asa T. Spaulding**

He is remembered perhaps best as president of N.C. Mutual Life Insurance Co., as the first actuary for the National Negro Insurance Association and as a leader in the civil rights movement in the '60s. Indeed, Mr. Spaulding and his wife, Elna, who has achieved mightily in her own right, are credited with having worked valiantly to ease racial tensions during Durham's turbulent days. That devotion to racial justice as well as racial harmony characterized Mr. Spaulding's service above self. Presidents honored him (Dwight D. Eisenhower, Gerald Ford and Jimmy Carter); universities, too (the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Shaw University, N.C. Central University, St. Andrews Presbyterian College, Howard University, Morgan State College in Baltimore and Campbell University). The NAACP and the National Conference of Christians and Jews paid well-deserved tribute to him and to his ability to rise to challenge, the kind he described in a column he wrote for *The Durham Sun* in 1979.

"Because I love Durham and my roots have gone down deeper and deeper in its soil for more than 60 years, I am jealous of its image and reputation, and concerned about its future leadership. Durham is at the fork of its road to the future. Will it choose to follow the high road of balanced growth and development in an environment of harmony or take detours through hostility and divisiveness?"

His words echo his service above self, but they do not tell the story of the family man, the father and the grandfather whose rich legacy of leadership is not lost on his progeny who, in turn, have risen to community commitment.

The Spaulding name is honored in Durham, across the state and the nation—indeed, everywhere that peace and justice and business acumen are revered.

Here at home, where Mr. Spaulding died Wednesday morning, it might best be said simply: The community has lost a valued friend, the likes of which come rarely.



WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH  
OBSERVES

Charles Clinton Spaulding Scholarship Day

Sunday, August 4, 1957

7:30 P. M.

CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING

----- A great man, a great soldier, a stalwart  
friend and a mighty doer of deeds. His likeness may  
not come again in our time to light our devious  
pathways in a stormy world. But all of us will profit  
by its reflection and be able to step around some of  
life's pitfalls and set our foot down on firmer ground  
because he passed this way. -----

The Carolina Times  
August 9, 1952



The Late  
Charles Clinton Spaulding  
Deacon - Trustee



# CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING SCHOLARSHIP DAY

White Rock Baptist Church  
Sunday, August 4, 1957  
7:30 P. M.

Mrs. Artelia T. Bryant, Presiding

ORGAN PRELUDE . . . . . Miss Florida Fisher

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN . . . . . O Worship the King  
(See Across)

SCRIPTURE & PRAYER . . . . . John H. Betts

SELECTION . . . . . North Carolina Mutual  
Fairest Lord Jesus                      Mixed Chorus

READING . . . . . Mrs. Dorothy Allen  
"Greatness"  
By Samuel V. Cole

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER . . . Mrs. Artelia Bryant,  
President - N. C. Mutual Forum

ADDRESS . . . . . J. W. Goodloe, Vice President-  
Secretary - N. C. Mutual  
Life Insurance Company

SELECTION . . . . . North Carolina Mutual  
We Are Climbing Jacob's Ladder      Mixed Chorus

REMARKS AND OFFERING . . . Rev. M. M. Fisher-Pastor

BENEDICTION

ORGAN POSTLUDE . . . . . Miss Florida Fisher



## O, WORSHIP THE KING

O, worship the King all glorious above, And gratefully  
sing His wonderful love; Our Shield and Defender, the  
Ancient of days, Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

O, tell of His might, and sing of His grace, Whose robe is the  
light, whose canopy space; His chariots of wrath the deep  
thunder clouds form, And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, In Thee do we  
trust, nor find Thee to fail; Thy mercies how tender! how  
firm to the end! Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer and Friend.



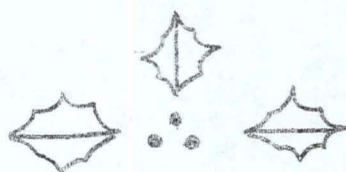
# ANNUAL ~~SCOUT~~ CHRISTMAS PARTY

W. D. HILL RECREATION CENTER, 1308 FAYETTEVILLE STREET, DURHAM, NC.

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## PROGRAM

1. COLLECTION OF CAN GOODS FOR CHRISTMAS CHEER CLUB.
2. SONG -- HAIL, HAIL, SCOUTING SPIRIT.
3. FORMATIONS BY TROOPS OR PACKS (COUNT OFF).
4. INSPECTION - (BY PATROL LEADERS.)
5. MARCH AS WE SING -- I'M HAPPY WHEN I'M HIKING.
6. SONGS
7. STUNTS -- (TROOPS AND PACKS RETIRE TO CORNERS AND  
PLAN STUNTS---3 MINUTES).
8. SONGS
9. GAMES -- CONTESTS. (IN SIGNALING, KNOTS, FIRST AID, COMPASS)
10. SONGS
11. DEMONSTRATION
12. MOVIE
13. RECOGNITIONS, AWARDS, IF ANY.
14. ANNOUNCEMENTS
15. REFRESHMENTS
16. TAPS





## Opening Remarks

This is a very important day in the life of White Rock Baptist Church in ~~celebrating~~ <sup>observing</sup> this significant occasion-- the Charles Clinton Spaulding Scholarship Fund Day.

Tonight, the members of the North Carolina Mutual Forum are very happy to join with the church in presenting a program in commemoration of the leadership and the contributions Mr Spaulding made in building both institutions.

We wish to thank all of the participants on the program, and we hope that it will be enjoyable and inspirational. After the singing of the congregational hymn, the program will follow as outlined.

Rev Fisher, Honored Guests, Fellow Members of White Rock Baptist Church:

Our speaker for this occasion is a gentlemen who is highly capable of the task;

for he is a faithful, loyal, and greatly respected member of this church and of this community.

In one respect, Mr. Goodloe is the successor to the man we are gathered here to honor;

for he is the chairman of the Board of Trustees of this church a position Mr Spaulding held for many years, ~~just~~ prior to his death.

Furthermore, our speaker has served as chairman of the House Committee, as Reading clerk for 15 years, and for a number of years, as chairman of the Anniversary committee.

His participation in the life of our community is as vital as that in our church,

for he is a Director of the John Avery Boys' Club, a past Chairman of the Negro Division of the United Fund,

Past Vice-President of the Durham Social Planning Council, and a member of the executive committee of the Pearson School Precinct, and the Durham Committee on Negro Affairs.

He is also a Divisional Committee Member of the Occonechee Council of the Boy Scouts of America. He has worked with the Girl Scouts,

First Vice-President of the National Insurance Association, and Vice-President and Secretary of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Ladies and Gentlemen, I consider it an honor beyond compare to present to you now, Mr. Joseph W. Goodloe.



## OFFERING SENTENCE

*"Give and it will be given to you; Good measure pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For the measure you give will be the measure you get back."*

Luke 6:38

### **The C.C. SPAULDING FAMILY Fellowship Dutch Luncheon**

It has been necessary to change the location of the luncheon today. It will be at **Quincy's Steak House, 4604 N. Roxboro Road**. We will be leaving the church at 1:30 p.m. Mack Jarmon will furnish the lead car which is his brown and beige Chevy Van with AOA insignia in license plate bracket. Those who do not know the way will follow the lead car. If you did not make reservations last Sunday and would like to attend, come on and join the family and friends. The cost per person is **\$5.39**.

### **Excerpts From The "Eulogy"**

**by Dr. Miles Mark Fisher at Mr. Spaulding's Funeral**

"While teaching at Union, I came across this text: 'O senseless Galatians who has bewitched you, you who had Jesus Christ the crucified placarded before your very eyes?' I decided that if ever I found a man who could fulfill this requirement, I would preach a sermon from it."

"To my way of thinking, C. C. Spaulding was an advertiser who wore a placard on his back. I like to think of the things that were written on this placard. One was 'Love your race.' He not only advertised his race, but he advertised all races. He loved his Church and advertised it everywhere. Over at North Carolina Mutual, he would tell the employees to go to Church on Sunday. He loved religion, and integrity."

"Whenever you see a man like C. C. Spaulding walking on the earth, take courage; for what he has done you can do."

## OUR FORTIETH ANNUAL

# *Charles Clinton Spaulding Scholarship - Loan Sunday*

August 1, 1993  
10:55 a.m.



**THE LATE  
CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING  
DEACON - TRUSTEE**

**1874 - 1952**

**WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH  
3400 Fayetteville Street  
Durham, North Carolina 27707**

**Dr. Paula S. Harrell, Minister of Music  
Mr. L.B. Fraiser, Chairperson, Program Committee**



## BRIEF HISTORY

### Of The Charles Clinton Spaulding Scholarship Loan Memorial Fund

THE LATE CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING bequeathed to the White Rock Baptist Church in 1952 a sum of \$500. Upon the suggestion of the pastor, Dr. Miles Mark Fisher (deceased), the officers and members agreed that the money be used as a nucleus to establish a memorial scholarship fund to perpetuate the memory of Dr. Spaulding. The late Mr. N. A. Cheek was named chairman of a committee to administer this fund. Scholarships were to be awarded to students of White Rock who desired to attend Shaw University, Raleigh, North Carolina. The first Sunday in August 1953 was designated as Charles Clinton Spaulding Memorial Scholarship Day at which time a special offering was taken to augment the fund. This annual observance is now held as near his birthday as possible.

The fund has increased year after year. Scholarship loans have been made to students attending Shaw University. In April 1964, the church authorized a contribution of \$700 from the fund to pay the tuition fees of two Shaw University Divinity School students.

Charles Clinton Spaulding was born in Columbus County, North Carolina, August 1, 1874 (119 years ago) and died August 1, 1952 (41 years ago). In 1899, he became connected with the North Carolina Mutual and Provident Association (now the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company) as a part-time agent and on July 1, 1900, he was appointed general manager on a full-time basis. He was also elected a member of the Association's Board of Directors. In 1908, he was elected vice-president and general manager. In 1919, he was elected secretary-treasurer and on April 29, 1923, he was elected president and served in that capacity for twenty-nine years until his death. He was closely associated with many other business institutions of Durham, serving as president of the Mechanics and Farmers Bank and Mutual Savings and Loan Association.

On April 10, 1980, Mr. Spaulding was one of nine prominent business men and women inducted into The National Business Hall of Fame in Los Angeles. The selectees were chosen by the Board of Editors of FORTUNE Magazine. Mr. Spaulding is the first Black elected to the Hall of Fame.

He was an ardent and devoted member of White Rock Baptist Church and served as Chairman of the Trustee Board and a Deacon. He served as a Trustee of Shaw University and North Carolina Central University.

## 1866 OUR 127TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION YEAR 1993

### Order Of Worship - Sunday, August 1, 1993

*"Let the first note of the organ bring worshipful silence"*

Mr. James A. Stewart, Presiding

Organ Prelude....."Come, Come Ye Saints".....Dr. Paula D. Harrell  
Choral Call To Worship.."The Lord is in His Holy Temple"..Mr. Mack A. Jarmon  
\*\*\*Hymn of Praise 523....."All Hail the Power"  
\*Invocation.....Reverend Louis H. Wade  
\*Response to Prayer....."O Lord Have Mercy"  
Scripture (Psalms 1).....Mr. James A. Stewart  
\*Response to Scripture 538....."Gloria Patri"  
\*\*Selection....."Come, Christians, Join to Sing".....Senior Choir  
\*\*Announcements and Church Concerns.....Dr. Joan Packenham  
Introduction of Members of Spaulding Family.....Mr. James A. Stewart  
Welcome and Recognition of Visitors.....Dr. John H. Lucas  
Solo....."He Touched Me".....Mrs. Marsha G. Kee  
Offering Sentence (Luke 6:38).....Mr. Stewart  
Offertory Selection....."The Lost Chord".....Dr. Harrell  
Offering.....Deacons  
Special Offering....."C.C. Spaulding Scholarship-Loan".....Youth  
Prayer of Thanksgiving.....Mr. Edward J. Clemons Sr.  
Response to Offering 534....."Bless Thou The Gifts"  
Introduction of Speaker.....Mr. Bert Collins, President and CEO,  
N.C. Mutual Life Insurance Company  
Selection....."He's Worthy".....Senior Choir  
Miss Ayanna Smith, Soloist  
MESSAGE.....The Honorable Melvin L. Watt  
United States Congressman, 12th District  
Invitation to Church Membership.....Reverend Louis H. Wade  
\*Hymn 229....."I Need Thee Every Hour"  
The Right Hand of Fellowship  
The Holy Communion.....Conducted by Reverend Wade  
\*Doxology....."Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Praise"  
\*Benediction.....Reverend Wade  
\*Response to Benediction....."Three-Fold Amen"  
Visitors: Please follow a hostess to the Fellowship Hall  
Organ Postlude....."War March of the Priests".....Dr. Paula D. Harrell  
Medelssohn

\* = Please stand

\*\* = Please seat worshippers - Senior Ushers

\*\*\* = Please stand & seat worshippers



## ABOUT OUR SPEAKER...

### MELVIN WATT - BIOGRAPHY

Melvin L. Watt ("Mel") was born in Mecklenburg County on August 26, 1945. He is a graduate of York Road High School in Charlotte. He was a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1967 with a BS degree in Business Administration. He was also president of the business honors fraternity as a result of having the highest academic average in the school of Business Administration. In 1970 he received a JD degree from Yale University Law School. He was selected to the Yale Law Journal and was the author of "Tax Exemption for Organizations Investing in Black Business", 78 Yale L.J. 1212 (1969).

Mel has been an attorney and businessman. He practiced law with Ferguson, Stein, Watt, Wallas, Adkins and Gresham (formerly Chambers, Stein, Ferguson and Becton) from 1971 to 1992. He is part owner of East Towne Manor, a 120-bed board and care facility for the elderly and disabled.

Mel served from 1985-86 in the North Carolina Senate where he was regarded as the outstanding freshman legislator and became known as "the conscience of the Senate". He was the campaign manager of Harvey Gantt's campaigns for City Council, Mayor of Charlotte and the 1990 Gantt for U.S. Senate campaign against Jesse Helms.

Mel is a member of the Mt. Olive Presbyterian Church. He served as president of the Mecklenburg County Bar and has been active on many professional, community and civic boards and organizations, including Johnson C. Smith University Board of Visitors, Central Piedmont Community College Foundation, North Carolina Association of Black Lawyers, North Carolina Academy of Trial Lawyers, Legal Aid of the Southern Piedmont, NCNB Community Development Corporation, Auditorium-Coliseum-Civic Center Authority, United Way, Inroads, Inc., Family Housing Services, Cities in Schools, West Charlotte Business Incubator, Housing Authority Scholarship Board and Morehead Scholarship Selection Committee.

Mel and his wife, the former Eulada Paysour, have been married since 1967. They have two sons--Brian, a 1990 graduate of Yale University, and Jason, a second year student at Yale. In 1936 he announced that he would not seek elective office again until his children completed high school. Having honored that commitment, he was elected to the U.S. House of Representatives from North Carolina's 12th District with 72% of the vote. On January 5, 1993 he became one of two Black members of Congress from North Carolina, the first elected in this century.

In Congress, Mel serves on the following Committees: Banking, Finance, and Urban Affairs Committee, Judiciary Committee, and Post Office and Civil Service Committee. He also serves as member of the Democratic House Caucus Steering and Policy Committee.

In his leisure time Mel enjoys tennis, basketball, reading and spending time with his family.

## WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, August 1, 1992

Phone - 919 - 688-8136

1. THANKS TO OTHER PERSONS IN ADDITION TO THOSE LISTED ELSEWHERE WHO ARE HELPING CONDUCT AUGUST'S WORSHIP: CONDUCTING CHURCH SCHOOL 9:30 a.m. ASSEMBLIES (JUNIOR CLASS) - **TODAY** - Junior Class #2; 8-Junior Class #2; 15 - Church Member; 22 - Church Member; 29 - Church Member. KEEP-ING NURSERY AT THE 10:55 a.m. WORSHIP: **TODAY** - Mrs. Ferne Dixon & Miss Ivy Joy Dixon; 8 - Mrs. Margaret McCoy & Mrs. Catherine McRae; 15 - Mrs. Bertha Marshall & Mrs. Lillie Edwards; 22 - Mrs. Hattie Suitt & Mrs. Ernestine Coley; 29 - Mrs. Barbara Cooke & Mrs. Joyce Page. SERVING REFRESHMENTS AFTER THE 10:55 a.m. WORSHIP: TODAY-SES District; Remaining Month of August -MMF District.

2. REMAINING AUGUST 1993: **CHOIR REHEARSALS** - Senior - Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.; Gospel - Saturdays, 12:00 noon (except after fourth Sunday); BOY SCOUTS, Saturdays, 9:00 a.m., Room 66; EX-PLORER SCOUTS (Ages 14-20), 2nd & 4th Saturdays, 10:00 a.m., M-K Room;

THURSDAY 5 - 7:00 p.m. - Management Committee, Library

FRIDAY 6 - 7:00 p.m. - Wedding Rehearsal & Dinner, Sanctuary & FH

SATURDAY 7 - 2:00; p.m. - Wedding, Sanctuary

THURSDAY 12 - 7:00 p.m. - Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People, FH

MONDAY 16 - 6:30 p.m. - Durham Ushers' Union, Room 70

THURSDAY 19 - 7:00 p.m. - Management Committee, Library

FRIDAY 20 - 6:00 p.m. - Wedding Rehearsal, Sanctuary

SATURDAY 21 - 5:00 p.m. - Wedding, Sanctuary

MONDAY 23 - 6:30 p.m. - Durham Junior Ushers, Room 70

THURSDAY 26 - 7:00 p.m. - Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People, FH



3. WELCOME TO VISITORS AND MEMBERS OF THE SPAULDING FAMILY: Register your presence in the guest book in the vestibule. Come to refreshments and fellowship in the Fellowship Hall after this worship. A nursery for children is provided in Room 146. Ask an Usher or Hostess. Thanks for worshipping here today.

4. THE MEMBERS OF THE C.C. SPAULDING SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE are as follows: Mrs. Maria Davis, Dr. John Lucas, Mr. James Stewart, Dr. Paula Harrell, Mr. W.A. Clement, Mr. Mack A. Jarmon, Mrs. Ruth S. Boyd and Mr. L. B. Frasier, Chairperson.

5. THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS will be available in the library of this church for your review and comments beginning SUNDAY, AUGUST 1 and continuing through TUESDAY, AUGUST 31. The church secretary/receptionist will be available to assist in this review/comment process. Times will be announced at a later date.

THE CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS COMMITTEE has developed the following meeting schedule: Monday, September 13, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m., Joint review with all Deacons, Deaconesses and Trustees; Wednesday, September 15, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m., Open hearings with the membership; Thursday, September 16, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m., Repeat hearing with the membership.

VOTING ON THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS will be held on Sunday, September 26 in the area leading into the fellowship hall from 9:00 - 10:45 a.m. and 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

## OUR KNOWN SICK AND SHUT-IN LIST AS OF AUGUST 1, 1993

### Rest and Nursing Homes

America's Health Care of Oxford, 500 Prospect Ave., Oxford, NC 27565  
693-1531 - Mrs. Annie Hines

Atwater Rest Home, 312 Lynch, Apex, NC 27502 - 362-6266 - Mrs. Ethel Perry  
Brian Center, 6000 Fayetteville Rd., 27713  
544-9201 - Mr. Charles B. Noel Jr. & Mrs. Mable Mabry

Carver Living Center, 321 E. Carver St. 27704 - 471-3558 - Mr. C.G. Mabry

Greenery Rehabilitation, 3100 Erwin Rd., 27705 - 383-1546 - Mr. Ruben H. Cherry

Hartwood Rest Home, Hwy 54, 27713 - 544-0100 - Mrs. Eddye L. Michaux

Hillcrest Convalescent Center, 1417 W. Pettigrew, 27705  
286-7705 - Mrs. Earnestine Coley

Hillhaven Rehabilitation Center, 1515 W. Pettigrew, 27705  
286-0751 - Mr. Leroy Burt & Mr. Howard Allen

Imperial Health Services, 1719 Bellevue Ave., Richmond, VA 23227  
(804) 262-7304 - Mrs. Josie Pittman

Northwood Manor Nursing Center, 303 Carver St., 27704  
471-4558 - Mr. W.D. Southerland & Mrs. Jacqueline Furtick

Stratford Hall Nursing Center, 2125 Hillard Rd., Richmond, VA 23228  
(804) 266-9666 - Mrs. Bernadine S. Bailey Room #504

VA Nursing Center, 508 Fulton, 27705 - 286-0411 - Mr. Willie Ellison

### Durham Regional Hospital

Mrs. Annie Goode

### VA Medical Center

Mr. Nathaniel Flintall

### At Home

Mrs. Evelyn Allen, 1009 Plum St., 27701, - 596-6649

Mr. William D. Battle, 612 Price Ave., 27701, - 682-0555

Mrs. Mozella Blount, 908 Price Ave., 27701, - 682-4666

Mr. Woodrow Brown, 1805 Concord St., 27707, - 682-3708

Mrs. Laura Bruce, 2613 Fayetteville St., 27707, - 682-3747

Mr. William Charleston, 507 Price Ave., 27701, - 688-7882

Mrs. Servater Evans, 619 Price Ave., 27701, - 688-6524

Mrs. Hattie Johnson, 380 Henry St. (107 North), Brooklyn, NY 11205

Mrs. Josephine Johnson, 206 Moline St., 27707 - 688-1784

Mrs. Hallie B. Massey, 1424 Maplewood Dr., 27704 - 220-0119

Mr. Preston Kennedy, 915 Tarik Dr., 27707 - 489-2545

Mrs. Zeda B. Kirk, c/o Mr. Orson T. Kirk, Rt. 3 Box 151, Port Murray, NJ 07865

Mrs. Gazella Lipscomb, 1605 Lincoln St., 27701 - 682-0743

Mrs. Jochbed Locust, 1006 Lawson St., 27701 - 596-7448

Mrs. Mary Mangum, 611 Nash St., 27707 - 688-7697

Mr. Lee Mosley, 5115 Old Well St., 27704 - 471-4811

Mrs. Virginia Perry, H-2 Cornwallis Rd., 27707

Miss Alma R. Southerland, 1511 Concord St., 27707 - 682-2995

Mr. John S. Stewart, 128 Masondale Ave., 27707 - 682-3665

Mr. Joe H. Taylor, 3420 Four Seasons Dr., 27707 - 688-5037

Mrs. Lorraine G. Thorpe, 2813 Cascadilla St., 27704

Mrs. Naomi W. Thorpe, 608 Dunbar St., 27701 - 688-6200

Mrs. Nell G. Wilson, 615 Dupree St., 27701 - 688-2770



Durham, North Carolina  
August 2, 1952

## RESOLUTION

The directors, officers and employees of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company bow in humble submission to the will of Divine Providence in the death of Mr. Charles Clinton Spaulding, Sr., Friday, August 1, 1952, on his 78th birthday, at ten thirty a.m. at his residence, 1806 Fayetteville Street, Durham, North Carolina.

Mr. Spaulding became associated with the founders of North Carolina Mutual, John Merrick and Aaron McDuffie Moore, a few months after the company began business and became an officer and director during the year 1900. His fortitude, tenacity and enthusiasm were largely responsible for the survival of the company during the early period of its operations, as he was the only full-time member of the official staff for several years. His first official assignment was that of General Manager and on January 15, 1906 he was elected Vice-President-General Manager, continuing in that position until the death of John Merrick, first president, in 1919 when he was elected Secretary-Treasurer. He was elected President of the company in 1923 following the death of Dr. A. M. Moore, the second president.

For fifty-two years Mr. Spaulding has been continuously connected with North Carolina Mutual. He has seen it grow from a small assessment association to an Old Line Legal Reserve Life Insurance Company. His guiding influence and directing ability have had much to do with the growth and development of the company. The present loyal and efficient field and home office personnel of the company is a fitting testimonial to his outstanding and commanding qualities.

Mr. Spaulding has been intimately associated with every movement in the City of Durham which has sought to promote the social, civic and economic welfare of members of his own racial group, as well as all other people, during the past half century. He contributed much of his time, energy and means toward the development of educational and religious institutions and during his outstanding career received many awards and honorary degrees. He was one of the greatest exponents of interracial goodwill of our times. By precept and example he was an outstanding citizen of our community, state and nation.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that valuing the service and appreciating the ability of Mr. Spaulding, we do give formal expression of our affection for him. We shall miss his able counsel and his admirable personal qualities, but his memory shall abide.

That, grieving at his passing, we hereby preserve as a lasting record of our love and esteem for him and express to members of his family our sympathy in their bereavement.

That, this resolution be entered in the permanent records of the company and that a copy hereof be sent to each member of the family.



## GUEST SPEAKERS FOR AUGUST 1993

**AUGUST 1 . . . THE HONORABLE MELVIN L. WATT**, U.S. Congressman, 12th District. Mr. Watt received a B.S. Degree in Business Administration from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. A JD Degree was received from Yale University Law School. As an attorney and businessman, Mr. Watt practiced law with Ferguson, Stein, Watt, Wallas, Adkins and Gresham (formerly Chambers, Stein, Ferguson and Becton) from 1971 to 1992. He served in the North Carolina Senate from 1985-86 where he was regarded as the outstanding freshman legislator and became known as "the conscience of the Senate". Mr. Watt is a member of the Mt. Olive Presbyterian Church. He served as President of the Mecklenburg County Bar and has been active on many professional, community and civic boards and organizations. On January 5, 1993, he became one of two Black members of Congress from North Carolina, the first elected in this century. Mr. Watt and his wife, the former Eulada Paysour, are the parents of two sons, Brian and Jason.

**AUGUST 8. . . REVEREND RODNEY K. TURNER**, Substance Abuse and AIDS Coordinator, Antioch Baptist Church North, Atlanta, GA. Reverend Turner attended Morehouse College. As a staff member at Antioch, he counsels individuals who are addicted to drugs and alcohol. Additionally, he oversees the Hope Line Ministry which provides a 24-hour hotline for alcoholics and addicts; the Ananias House, a Christian recovery residence that supports the recovery of alcoholics and addicts; and COMMAND, an outreach ministry that distributes literature on AIDS, drug and alcohol abuse. He also facilitates a Christian support group, FREAD, for recovering alcoholics and drug addicts. Outside of Antioch, Reverend Turner works with Clark Atlanta University as a counselor for Project Redirection, a program designed to provide alternatives to incarceration for Fulton County non-violent offenders. Additionally, he serves as Assistant Chaplain at the Atlanta City Jail. Reverend Turner is an advocate for the disadvantaged, the hungry and the homeless in the community, always sharing the good news of Jesus Christ.

**AUGUST 15. . . REVEREND HERBERT O. EDWARDS**, Professor, Religious Studies Department, Morgan State University, Baltimore, Maryland. Reverend Edwards received an A.B. Degree from Morgan State College, Baltimore, Maryland; S.T.B. Degree from Harvard Divinity School, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Ph.D. from Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island. Former pastorates include Minister, Union Baptist Church, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Minister, Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Bahama, North Carolina; Minister, Shady Hill Baptist Church, Roxboro, North Carolina. Reverend Edwards has lectured extensively at universities and colleges across the United States. His professional affiliations include Member, Former President, Society for Study of Black Religion; Member, Society of Christian Ethics; Member, Society for Scientific Study of Religion; Member, Baptist Professor of Religion; Member, Board of Directors, National Conference of Black Christians; Member, Board of Directors, Black Theology Project; Former Member, Board of Trustees, Hartford Seminary Foundation. Reverend Edwards is the author of several published articles on such topics as Christian Ethics and Black Theology.

**AUGUST 22. . . REVEREND HERBERT H. EATON**, Former Pastor, St. John The Evangelist Baptist Church, Columbia, Maryland. Reverend Eaton is a native of Creedmoor, North Carolina. He received a B.S. Degree in Biology from North Carolina Central University, Durham; B.D. Degree in Pastoral Theology, School of Divinity, Howard University, Washington, DC; S.T.M. Degree in Preaching from Boston University School of Theology, Boston, Massachusetts; M.A. Degree in African History from Howard University. Reverend Eaton was Assistant to the Dean, Howard University School of Religion for three years. Former pastorates include Pastor, Dexter Avenue Baptist Church, Montgomery,



Alabama; Pastor, Kenwood United Church of Christ, Chicago, Illinois; Campus Minister, North Carolina Central University, Durham; Protestant Chaplain, University of Rochester, Rochester, New York. He is married to the former Delores Sankey. They are the parents of two sons, Eric Rennard and Herbert Edward.

**AUGUST 29 ... REVEREND STEPHEN M. TATE**, Executive Director, New Wine Christian Ministries; Therapist and Consultant, Stephen M. Tate & Associates, Durham. Reverend Tate received a B.A. Degree in Behavioral Science from California Baptist College and a M.S.W. Degree from the University of Chicago. He is the former Minister, Bethesda Baptist Church, Chicago, Illinois. As Executive Director of New Wine Christian Ministries, Reverend Tate's objective is to meet the identified spiritual and concrete needs of disadvantaged children and families within the community. In his private practice, he provides psychotherapeutic treatments for individuals suffering from various emotional problems such as depression, self-esteem, violent behavior, alcohol and drug abuse. Couple and family interaction issues are also treated. Reverend Tate has performed several workshops on topics such as career decision-making for youth and adults; social skills on the job for youth and adults; physical and sexual abuse prevention for children. He is affiliated with the Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People; Durham Business and Professional Chain: Rites of Passage Mentoring Program; Lincoln Community Health Center: Staff Education and Development Committee; Operation Breakthrough/HeadStart: Child Abuse Prevention Task Force. He is married with two children.



**WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH - Sunday, July 26, 1992**

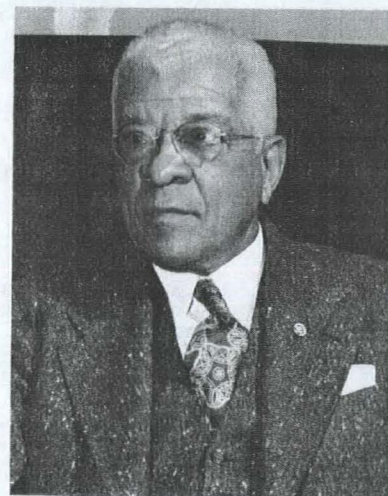
**Phone - 919 - 688-8136**

1. THANKS TO OTHER PERSONS IN ADDITION TO THOSE LISTED ELSEWHERE WHO ARE HELPING CONDUCT JULY'S AND AUGUST'S WORSHIP: CONDUCTING CHURCH SCHOOL 9:30 A.M. ASSEMBLIES - **TODAY** - Miss Ewnike Patterson; **AUGUST: 2** - Mrs. Thelma Lennon; **9** - Mrs. Hazel Layne; **16** - Mrs. Sarah Smith **23** - Mrs. Genesta Jackson; **30** - Miss Tina Jones & Miss Joan Packenham. KEEPING NURSERY AT THE 10:55 a.m. WORSHIP: Chairperson - Mrs. Acquanetta Patterson. **TODAY** - Mrs. Amanda Long, Mrs. Brenda Vann & Mrs. Scottye Brown; **AUGUST:** Chairperson - Mrs. Edith Stroud. **2** - Mrs. Fern Dixon and Miss Ivy Dixon; **9** - Mrs. Margaret McCoy and Mrs. Catherine McRae; **16** - Mrs. Bertha Marshall, Mrs. Lillie Edwards & Miss Ava Miles; **23** - Mrs. Hattie Suitt, Mrs. Ernestine Coley and Miss Henrietta Lyons; **30** - Mrs. Gertie Tatum, Mrs. Barbara Cooke & Mrs. Joyce Ramsey. **TODAY'S HOSTESSES**, Registrar - Mrs. Ruth Crumpler; Serving - Mrs. Marilyn Ebron; Alternate - Miss Cynthia Thomas. **HOSTESS - AUGUST:** Registrar - Mrs. Mary Dash; Serving - Mrs. Ann Norwood; Alternate - Mrs. Almerna Walker. SERVING REFRESHMENTS AFTER THE 10:55 A.M. WORSHIP: **TODAY** - SES District; **AUGUST:** MMF District.
2. REMAINING JULY 1992: CHOIR REHEARSALS - Sanctuary - Senior - Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m. (RESUMES SEPTEMBER 1); Gospel - Saturdays, 3:00 p.m. (except after fourth Sunday); Youth Choir - Band - Sundays, 9:00 a.m.; Explorer Scouts (ages 14-20), 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m. - M.K. Room; WELLNESS, FITNESS GROUP, Wednesdays & Thursdays, 4:00 - 5:30 p.m., F.H.; BOY SCOUTS, Saturdays, 9:00 a.m., MC Room; **M-TH, 27-30**, Woman's Baptist H&F Missionary Convention, Winston-Salem; **Monday, 27** - 1:00 p.m. Co-Chairs, Trustee Committees, Library; 6:00 p.m. Kitchen Committee, Library; 6:30 p.m. Durham Junior Ushers, Room 66; 7:30 p.m. Board of Christian Education, M.C. Room; **Thursday 30**, 4:00 p.m. Monthly Inspection of Church Building for Cleanliness and Safety; 7:00 p.m. Education Committee, Durham Committee on Black Affairs, MC Room.  
**AUGUST 1992: Wednesday 5**, - 7:00 p.m. Fisher Heights Community Group, Room 66; **Friday 7**, 6:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal; **Saturday 8**, 2:00 p.m. Wedding; 5:00 p.m. Wedding; **Friday 14**, 6:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal; **Saturday 15**, 3:00 p.m. Wedding; **Friday 21**, 7:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal; **Saturday 22**, 5:00 p.m. Wedding; **Thursday 27**, 7:00 p.m. Education Committee, Durham Committee on Black Affairs, MC Room; **Saturday 29**, 10:00 a.m. New Hope Baptist Union Meeting, Mt. Zion Baptist, Chatham; 3:00 p.m. Iota Phi Lambda Sorority, Room 66; **Monday 31-Friday, September 4**, Lott Carey Baptist FM Convention, New Zion Baptist Church, Louisville, KY.
3. CONTRIBUTIONS: **SUNDAY, JULY 19, 1992:** Current Offerings \$1,481.98; Church School \$48.95; Building Fund \$119.00; General Baptist \$89.74; Deacons' Sunday \$430.00; Personal Needs \$20.14; Stained Glass \$5.00; Meals after funerals \$34.00; Trustee Fund \$12.00; Sexton's Fee \$25.00; Elevator \$10.00; **Total \$2,275.81.**
4. WELCOME TO VISITORS: Register your presence in the Guest Book in the Vestibule. Come to Refreshments and Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall after this worship. A nurse for children is provided in Room 146. Ask an Usher or Hostess. Thanks for worshipping here today.
5. AUGUST VACATION PREACHERS 1992 at 10:55 a.m. WORSHIP: **Sunday 2**, Dr. J.B. Woodhouse, Pastor, Red Oak Baptist Church, Zebulon; **Sunday 9; Sunday 16**, The Rev. R.E. Page, Pastor, Jonathan Creek Baptist Church, Oxford; **Sunday 23**, The Rev. Randolph Thompson, Pastor, Victory Baptist Church, Bronx, NY. **Sunday 30**, The Rev. Henry P. Davis, III, Pastor, Christian Unity Baptist Church, Lakewood, NJ. The Pastor will return to the pulpit and preach Sunday September 6 at the 10:55 a.m. worship.
6. SYMPATHY TO: Mr. DeEdward Watson and Family upon the death of his wife, Mrs. Charmin Watson whose funeral was here yesterday; The Family of Miss Robbie Baines whose funeral was last Thursday in Durham; Dr. E.L. Totten and Family upon the death of his sister, Mrs. Carrie E. Totten Strother whose funeral was July 18 in Sedalia, N.C.
7. ADULT BIBLE STUDY closed Wednesday, July 22 and will resume Wednesday, September 2, 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Thanks to those who attended in July.

**OUR THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL**

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## BRIEF HISTORY

### Of The Charles Clinton Spaulding Scholarship Loan Memorial Fund

THE LATE CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING bequeathed to the White Rock Baptist Church in 1952 a sum of \$500. Upon the suggestion of the pastor, Dr. Miles Mark Fisher (deceased), the officers and members agreed that the money be used as a nucleus to establish a memorial scholarship fund to perpetuate the memory of Dr. Spaulding. The late Mr. N. A. Cheek was named chairman of a committee to administer this fund. Scholarships were to be awarded to students of White Rock who desired to attend Shaw University, Raleigh, North Carolina. The first Sunday in August 1953 was designated as Charles Clinton Spaulding Memorial Scholarship Day at which time a special offering was taken to augment the fund. This annual observance is now held as near his birthday as possible.

The fund has increased year after year. Scholarship loans have been made to students attending Shaw University. In April 1964, the church authorized a contribution of \$700 from the fund to pay the tuition fees of two Shaw University Divinity School students.

Charles Clinton Spaulding was born in Columbus County, North Carolina, August 1, 1874 (117 years ago) and died August 1, 1952. In 1899, he became connected with the North Carolina Mutual and Provident Association (now the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company) as a part-time agent and on July 1, 1900, he was appointed general manager on a full-time basis. He was also elected a member of the Association's Board of Directors. In 1908, he was elected vice-president and general manager. In 1919, he was elected secretary-treasurer and on April 29, 1923, he was elected president and served in that capacity for twenty-nine years until his death. He was closely associated with many other business institutions of Durham, serving as president of the Mechanics and Farmers Bank and Mutual Savings and Loan Association.

He was an ardent and devoted member of White Rock Baptist Church and served as Chairman of the Trustee Board and a Deacon. He served as a Trustee of Shaw University and North Carolina Central University.

On April 10, 1980, Mr. Spaulding was one of nine prominent business men and women inducted into The National Business Hall of Fame in Los Angeles. The selectees were chosen by the Board of Editors of FORTUNE Magazine. Mr. Spaulding is the first Black elected to the Hall of Fame.

## THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

### 1866 OUR 126TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION YEAR 1992 ORDER OF WORSHIP - SUNDAY, JULY 26, 1992

- 10:50 A.M. Organ Prelude..... Mrs. Phyllis J. Holliday
- 10:55 a.m. Choral Call To Worship..... "Holy, Holy, Holy"
- \*\* Hymn of Praise 290..... "The Church's One Foundation"
- \* Invocation..... Mrs. Elna B. Spaulding  
Cousin-in-law of the late C.C. Spaulding
- \* Response to Prayer..... "Hear Our Prayer, O Lord"
- Scripture 554..... Mrs. Barbara Shearin  
Granddaughter-in-law of the late C. C. Spaulding & Congregation
- \* Response to Scripture 415..... "Gloria Patri"
- \*\*
- Children's Talk, Prayer & Hymn 5..... Mr. Clinton Shearin  
Grandson to the late C.C. Spaulding
- \*\*
- Two Selections..... Vacation Church School Children  
Miss Karen Brown and Mrs. V. W. Alston, Directing
- \*\*
- Spiritual..... "If It Had Not Been For The Lord On My Side"..... Gospel Choir  
Mrs. V. W. Alston, Directing
- \*\*
- Welcome to Visitors..... The Pastor
- Offering Sentence 651..... The Pastor & Congregation
- Offering..... Deacons
- Special Offering..... "C. C. Spaulding Scholarship - Loan Fund"..... Youth
- Selection..... "There Is Power in the Blood"..... Gospel Choir
- Prayer of Thanksgiving..... Mrs. Doris M. Haynes
- Response to Offering 395..... "Bless Thou the Gifts"
- A Hymn Period (SEE INSERT)..... Choir & Congregation
- "Nobody Knows The Trouble I've Seen" "Trying To Get Home"
- SERMON..... "On Mr. C.C. Spaulding-One of the Giants of the Land!..... The Pastor  
(Joshua 12:4)
- Invitation to Church Membership..... The Pastor
- \* Hymn 273..... "Blest Be The Tie that Binds"
- Visitors..... Follow a hostess to Fellowship Hall
- Doxology 413..... "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"
- \* Benediction..... The Pastor
- \* Response to Benediction..... "God Be With You"
- \* Organ Postlude..... Mrs. Phyllis J. Holliday
- \* Please Stand
- \* Please Seat Worshippers - Junior Ushers
- \*\* Please Stand and Seat Worshippers



### SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

The Rev. Dr. Harmon L. Smith, *Celebrant*

The Rev. Fred Barwick, *Deacon*

Acolyte . . . . . Mary E. Hawkins  
Crucifier . . . . . Cecil L Patterson  
Sacristan . . . . . Julia Williams Davis  
Minister of Ceremonies . . . . . Patricia Valentine  
Lector . . . . . Ronnie Beam  
Intercessor . . . . . Edward B. Boyd  
Organist . . . . . Brenda Armstrong  
Oblation Bearers . . . . . Dorothy Campbell and Vivian R. Patterson

Ushers . . . . . Carol Dorsey-Bezue, Lewis Myers, II,  
Carrie Matthews, Dwight Peebles,

Pall Bearers . . . . . Edward B. Boyd, William Paul Malone,  
Kenneth Valentine, Lewis Myers,  
Charles Thompson, Lionell Parker, Kenneth Valentine

Honorary Pallbearers . . . . . George Bell, Jr., Geoffrey Bell,  
George Bell, III, Jerry Langston, Thomas Harris,  
The Reverend David Bell, Nat Farrior, Bob Stevens, Lonnie Barfield

*Members of the Durham Jubilee Singers*  
are joining the St. Titus' Choir in providing the music

Altar Guild Members on duty . . . . Willette Adorkor, Gloria Drew,  
Lafayette Lipscomb, Paula Taylor

Parish Benevolent Team Leaders on Duty  
Ann Edmonds and Glenora Shaw

**Professional Arrangements and Services**  
Scarborough and Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.,  
Memorial Chapel and Gardens  
306 South Roxboro Street, Durham, North Carolina 27701

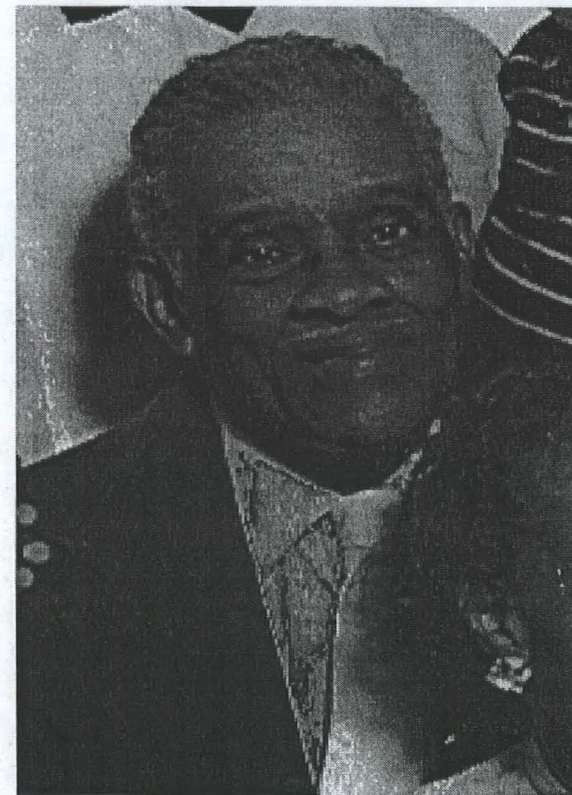
*Service Bulletin Mary E. Hawkins*

*Kelly Bryant Collection*

## MASS OF THE RESURRECTION

*A Celebration of the Holy Eucharist Offered in Joyful  
Thanksgiving for and in Loving Memory of*

### BOOKER BENJAMIN SPAULDING



Saturday, October 13, 2001 @ 11:00 am



St. Titus' Episcopal Church 400 Moline Street  
Durham, North Carolina  
The Reverend Dr. Harmon L. Smith, *Interim Rector*,



## Booker Benjamin Spaulding 1914 - 2001

Mr. Booker Benjamin Spaulding, youngest son of the late Charles Clinton and Fannie Jones Spaulding, died on Friday, October 5, 2001 at Durham Regional Hospital. His wife, the late Marion Davis Spaulding preceded him. After the death of his mother in 1919, he was raised by his stepmother, Charlotte Garner Spaulding.

Booker completed high school in Newark, New Jersey and then attended Hampton Institute, The School of Industrial Arts. He completed his Bachelors Degree from North Carolina College in 1941. He was a member of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity.

Booker was confirmed at St. Titus' Episcopal Church on July 5, 1961. He was a faithful member of the choir, the vestry and participated in the Vacation Bible School after his retirement. He sang with the Durham Community Choir. He was employed at the home office of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance for thirty-eight (38) years.

Booker is survived by his son Booker Benjamin, Jr. (Tracy), a grandson, Lamont John of Colchester Essex, England; a sister-in-law, Adeline Reynolds Spaulding, two nephews, Clinton Augustus Shearin (Barbara), Charles Clinton Spaulding III; one niece, Betty Spurlock Shearin; two grandnieces Marsha Shearin and Victoria Louise Shearin; one great-nephew Clinton Augustus Shearin, Jr. and cousins Maymette Spaulding Carter, Margaret Kennedy Goodwin, Constance Watts, Vivian Sansom, Martha Wheeler, William J. Kennedy, Lida Spaulding White, Ruth Spaulding Boyd, Emmanuel Garland Spaulding and a host of other relatives and close friends.

## The Burial of the Dead: Rite Two

*Organ Prelude*

*All stand while the celebrant says the anthem.*

BCP 491 . . . . . Anthem

BCP 492 . . . . . Collect

Hymn 529 . . . . . O Zion Haste

### The Liturgy of the Word

Wisdom 3:1-5; 9 . . . . . Ronnie Beam

But the souls of the righteous are in the hands of God, and no torment will ever touch them.

In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be an affliction, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace.

For though in the sight of men they were punished, their hope is full of immortality.

Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself.

Those who trust in Him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with Him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his elect, and he watches over his holy ones.



**Psalm 121 *Levavi oculos (In Unison)***

- 1 I lift up my eyes to the hills;\*  
From where is my help to come?
- 2 My help comes from the LORD,\*  
the maker of heaven and earth.
- 3 He will not let your foot be moved\*  
and he who watches over you will not fall asleep.
- 4 Behold, he who keeps watch over Israel\*  
shall neither slumber nor sleep:
- 5 The LORD himself watches over you:\*  
the LORD is your shade at your right hand,
- 6 So that the sun shall not strike you by day,\*  
nor the moon by night.
- 7 The LORD shall preserve you from all evil;\*  
it is he who shall keep you safe.
- 8 The LORD shall watch over your going out and  
your coming in,\*  
from this time forth for evermore.

**Revelation 7:9-17 . . . . . Julia Williams Davis**

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude which no man could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and tongues, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits upon the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood round the throne and round the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God for ever and ever! Amen."

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and whence have they come?" I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great tribulation; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

Therefore are they before the throne of God, and serve him day and night within his temple; and he who sits upon the throne will shelter them with his presence. They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat. For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water; and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

**Hymn 67\* . . . . . I Love the Lord**

**\*From Lift Every Voice and Sing II**



The Holy Gospel . . . . . John 14:1-16

"Let not your hearts be troubled; believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many rooms; if it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And when I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. And you know the way where I am going." Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?" Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father, but by me."

The Homily . . . . . The Rev. Dr. Harmon L. Smith

BCP 496 . . . . . The Apostles Creed

BCP 497 . . . . . The Prayers of the People

### The Peace

*The Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord*

Offertory Sentence

Hymn 106\* . . . . . Precious Lord

\*From Lift Every Voice and Sing II

## The Holy Communion

BCP 361-365 . . . . . The Great Thanksgiving  
*All baptized Christians are invited to receive the Holy Communion*

Communion Hymns

Hymn # 325 . . . . . Let Us Break Bread

Hymn #232 . . . . . Thank You, Lord

BCP 498 . . . . . Post Communion Prayer

BCP 499 . . . . . The Commendation

Resolution . . . . . North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company

Recessional Hymn #20\* . . . . . When We All Get to Heaven

\*From Lift Every Voice and Sing II



Memorial contributions may be made to:

**The Building Fund**  
St. Titus' Episcopal Church  
400 Moline Street  
Durham NC 27707

Flowers on the Altar today are given by the family to the glory of God  
and in thanksgiving for the life of Booker B. Spaulding

### Acknowledgment

The family of Mr. Booker B. Spaulding wishes to express sincere gratitude and appreciation to their many friends for their kind deeds, expressions of sympathy, hospital and nursing home visits and for the outpouring of love extended to us during his illness and our bereavement. May God continue to bless each of you.

Interment - Beechwood Cemetery



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## SPAULDING

Mr. Booker Benjamin Spaulding, Sr., age 85, of Carver Living Center, on E. Carver St., died Friday, October 5, 2001, at Durham Regional Hospital.

He was a native of Durham and was employed by North Carolina Mutual Life-Insurance Co. for 38 years.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, October 13, 2001, at St. Titus Episcopal Church, 400 Moline St., in Durham, with the Rev. Dr. Harman L. Smith officiating. Burial will be in Beechwood Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 7:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Friday, October 12, 2001, at Scarborough & Hargett Funeral Home, in Durham. The family can be contacted at 3311 Fayetteville St.

Mr. Spaulding is survived by his son, Booker B. Spaulding, Jr., and daughter-in-law, Tracy A. Spaulding and his grand son, Lamont John Spaulding, all of Colchester, England.

Contributions can be made to the St. Titus Episcopal Church Building Fund, 400 Moline St., Durham, N.C. 27707.

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IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
**Elna Bridgeforth Spaulding**  
**1909-2007**



**HOMEGOING CELEBRATION**

Saturday, January 13, 2007  
1:00 P.M.

**White Rock Baptist Church**  
3400 Fayetteville Street  
Durham, North Carolina 27704  
*Dr. Reginald Van Stephens – Officiating*



## OBITUARY

Mrs. Elna B. Spaulding, 97, died Sunday at Duke University Hospital surrounded by her four children; Asa Spaulding, Jr., Patricia Spaulding Moore, Aaron Lowery Spaulding and Kenneth Bridgeforth Spaulding.

Born in Tuskegee, AL., Spaulding was the first daughter of the late George Ruffin and Datie M. Miller Bridgeforth.

Her husband of 57 years, Asa T. Spaulding, Sr., her brother George Miller Bridgeforth, a sister, Marie B. Scott, and a grandson, Fredrick Spaulding Moore, preceded Mrs. Spaulding in death.

She received her education at Children's House of Tuskegee Institute, AL, Kansas Vocational Institute, Topeka, KS; Trinity High School, Athens AL.; and Talladega College, AL, where she earned a Bachelor of Music Degree.

Spaulding, an educator, taught in the Durham Public School System for a year and was Chairman of the Music Department at Winston-Salem Teachers College for two years. She served on the Durham County Board of Commissioners from 1974 to 1984 and was the first woman and first black in North Carolina to serve as a county commissioner.

Spaulding was the former president of Women-In-Action for the Prevention of Violence and Its Causes, Inc., an interracial, independent, non-profit community service organization in Durham, which she founded, September 4, 1968.

She also has been an active member of White Rock Baptist Church where she has served in the Senior Choir for 50 years and was a member of the Susie V. Norfleet Sunday School Class.

Spaulding provided leadership to numerous civic, religious educational and other organizations, throughout her career. She also has received more than 100 honors and awards including, a Honorary Doctorate Degree from Duke University and the North Carolina Award from former Gov. Jim Hunt, the highest award bestowed on a private citizen by the State.

She is survived by a sister Datie M. B. Russell of Baltimore, MD; four children: Asa T. Spaulding Jr., (Beulah Listenbee), Patricia Spaulding Moore, Aaron Lowery Spaulding, Kenneth Bridgeforth Spaulding, five grandchildren: Pamela Frances Spaulding, Asa Timothy Spaulding, III, Elna Spaulding Moore Hall, Chandler Gaillard Spaulding, Courtney Gaillard Spaulding, and two great grandchildren: Grant Patrick Hall, Ryan James Hall and a host of distant relatives and friends.

Contributions may be made to the Triangle Community Foundation indicating for the Asa T. and Elna B. Spaulding Endowment Fund, and mailed to 4813 Emperor Blvd., Suite 130, Durham, NC 27703. The Fund provides support to programs improving human and race relations in Durham.



## **ORDER OF SERVICE**

### **ORGAN PRELUDE**

Dr. Paula Harrell

### **PROCESSIONAL**

### **ANTHEM**

"Great Is My Faithfulness"  
White Rock Baptist Church  
Senior Choir

### **SCRIPTURE**

The Reverend Joseph S. Harvard, Pastor  
First Presbyterian Church  
Durham, NC

### **PRAYER**

The Reverend Dr. Miler Mark Fisher, IV  
University of the District of Columbia - former President  
Washington, D.C.

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

Grace J. Marsh, Executive Director  
Women-In-Action for the Prevention of Violence and Its Causes, Inc.

William V. "Bill" Bell  
Mayor, City of Durham

Ellen Reckhow  
Chairman, Durham County Commission

### **SOLO**

Margaret K. Goodwin  
"Precious Love"

### **EULOGY**

The Reverend Dr. Reginald Van Stephens, Pastor  
White Rock Baptist Church

### **HYMN**

"Blessed Assurance"  
The Choir

### **TRIBUTES**

MaryAnn E. Black  
Community Leader

Mary D. B. T. Semans  
Philanthropist

### **CLOSING PRAYER**

### **RECESSIONAL**

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INTERMENT WILL BE AT BEECHWOOD CEMETERY  
THE REVEREND DR. REGINALD VAN STEPHENS - PRESIDING



## **ACTIVE PALLBEARERS**

Deacons & Trustees – White Rock Baptist Church

## **FLORAL BEARERS**

Women-In-Action for the Prevention of Violence and Its Causes–  
Board of Directors

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. –Alpha Zeta Omega Chapter

LINKS, Inc.- Durham Chapter

National Council of Negro Women – Durham Chapter

## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

The family deeply appreciates all of the individuals and groups who have in so many ways expressed their love, admiration and respect during the recent illness and passing of our beloved mother, grandmother, and great-great grandmother –

Elna Virginia Bridgeforth Spaulding

... May God Bless You All

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICES ENTRUSTED TO:**

Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapel and Gardens  
306 South Roxboro Street  
Durham, North Carolina  
[www.scarborough-hargett.com](http://www.scarborough-hargett.com)

in association with  
Fisher Funeral Parlor Inc.  
Durham North Carolina



## Elna B. Spaulding

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HONORARY PALLBEARERS:

Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity  
Senior Choir — White Rock Baptist Church  
Doric Lodge No. 28 F. & A. M.  
Officers-Directors-District Managers—North Carolina Mutual  
Life Insurance Company  
Directors—Mechanics and Farmers Bank  
Mutual Savings and Loan Association  
Bankers Fire Insurance Company  
Southern Fidelity Mutual Insurance Company  
Board of Deacons—White Rock Baptist Church  
Trustees—White Rock Baptist Church  
Shaw University, Raleigh, N. C.  
North Carolina College  
Lincoln Hospital  
Colored Orphanage, Oxford, N. C.  
Stanford L. Warren Library

Representatives—Member Companies: National Negro Insurance  
Association, Remington Rand, Inc., American  
Savings and Loan League, National Bankers  
Association, Governmental Offices, Local Banks  
and Building and Loan Associations, Durham  
County Selective Service Board, National Negro  
Business League.

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS:

Mr. N. H. Bennett, Jr.	Mr. N. L. Gregg
Mr. W. A. Clement	Mr. E. W. Green
Mr. J. H. Wheeler	Mr. J. F. Harris
Mr. J. S. Stewart	Mr. Winfred Mundle

FLORAL BEARERS:

Ladies From—District No. 6—White Rock Baptist Church  
Berean Bible Class—White Rock Baptist Sun-  
day School  
North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Com-  
pany  
Mechanics and Farmers Bank  
Mutual Savings and Loan Association  
Bankers Fire Insurance Company  
Southern Fidelity Mutual Insurance Company  
Lincoln Hospital

INTERMENT AT BEECHWOOD CEMETERY

Service of Memory

For

CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING

1874-1952



"HE PUBLISHED IT"—"O senseless Galatians, who has be-  
witched you—you who had Jesus  
Christ the crucified placarded be-  
fore your very eyes?"  
Galatians 3:1.



CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING—

b. Clarkton, N. C., August 1, 1874; s. Benjamin M. and Margaret (Moore) Spaulding; m. Fannie Jones (deceased) of Washington, D. C., 1900; m. 2d., Charlotte Garner, 1920; four children: Margaret L., Charles C., Jr., John A., and Booker B.; ed. Whitted School, Durham, N. C., 1896-98; M. A., Shaw University, 1921, LL.D., Shaw University, 1936; Tuskegee Institute, 1943; Atlanta University, 1944. One of organizers, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, 1899; held positions of agent, general inspector, general manager and Secretary; President, 1923-1952; also President, Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Durham, 1922-1952; Mutual Savings and Loan Association, Durham, 1921-1952. Public service positions held in addition to war bond drive campaigns that won citations from Presidents Franklin Delano Roosevelt and Harry S. Truman included: vice-president, Bankers' Fire Insurance Company, vice-president, Southern Fidelity Mutual Insurance Company; trustee, North Carolina College at Durham; Shaw University, Raleigh; Stanford L. Warren Library, Durham; member and executive board chairman, Lincoln Hospital; member, Capital Accounts Committee, Durham Community Chest; member, Southern Education Foundation; deacon and chairman, trustee board, White Rock Baptist Church, Durham; secretary-treasurer, North Carolina Commission on Interracial Cooperation; trustee, Oxford Orphanage; member, Durham County Selective Service Board; member, National Committee for the American Celebration of the 100th Anniversary of Liberia; member, N. C. Good Health Association; member, National Planning Association Committee of the South; vice-president, American Bible Society; member, N. Y. State Chamber of Commerce, National Urban League, National Council, United Negro College Fund.

Departed this life August 1, 1952, and is survived by his wife, three sons, one daughter, four grandsons, Alexander Moore Shearin, Jr., Clinton Shearin, Charles Clinton Spaulding, III, and Booker B. Spaulding, Jr., two sisters, Mrs. W. J. Kennedy, Jr., Durham and Mrs. Mary Spaulding, New York City, two brothers, Mr. Emanuel Garland Spaulding of New York City and Mr. Israel R. Spaulding, Durham.

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH

DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

AUGUST 4, 3:00 P. M.

—:—

ORGAN MEDITATION . . . . . MR. JOHN H. GATTIS

HYMN: "*Lead, Kindly Light*" . . . . . SENIOR CHOIR

SCRIPTURE . . . . . REVEREND D. A. JOHNSTON  
Pastor of St. Joseph African Methodist Episcopal Church

PRAYER . . . . . REVEREND T. C. GRAHAM  
Pastor of West Durham Baptist Church

HYMN: "*My Faith Looks Up To Thee*" . . . . . SENIOR CHOIR

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

AND RESOLUTIONS . . . . . MRS. B. A. J. WHITTED

MEMORIAL EXPRESSION FROM THE

AMERICAN PEOPLE . . . . . DR. MORDECAI W. JOHNSON  
President of Howard University, Washington, D. C.

SOLO: "*The Lord's Prayer*" . . . . . MRS. RUTH GATTIS REEVES

EULOGY—"He Published It" . . . . . PASTOR MILES MARK FISHER  
GALATIANS 3:1.

RECESSIONAL



Bennett, N. H. Jr.  
Clement, W. A.  
Frasier, L. B.  
Goodlow, J. W.  
Kennedy, W. J., III  
Perry, R. C. W.  
Spaulding, C. C., Jr.  
Turner, Viola G. (Mrs)  
Henderson, J. J.  
Allen, Dorothy G. (Mrs)  
Allen, Evelyn H. (Mrs)  
Anderson, Guinevere (Mrs)  
Austin, DeNina (Mrs)  
Bailey, Ernestine (Miss)  
Bates, Bertie W. (Mrs)  
Betts, John H.  
Bolden, Deloys P. (Mrs)  
Bolden, Ruby (Mrs)  
Brandon, Delacy O. (Miss)  
Bright, Veatrice (Mrs)  
Burton, Catherine J. (Miss)  
Cameron, Dorothy M. (Miss)  
Carroll, Theresa S. (Mrs)  
Cearnal, Jean (Miss)

Bryant, R. K., Jr.  
Cox, George W., Jr.  
Gilliam, W. M.  
Hawkins, G. B.  
Marvin, Murray J.  
Sloan, Maceo A.  
Spears, A. E., Jr.  
Watts, Charles D.  
Adams, Dollie (Miss)  
Allen, Ervin L.  
Alston, Mary E. (Mrs)  
Armstrong, Doris (Mrs)  
Bagley, Ruby M. (Mrs)  
Baines, Lucille (Miss)  
Battle, Loyd L.  
Blackmon, Charles  
Bolden, James I  
Bolden, Ruth Y. (Mrs)  
Bridgers, Minnie O. (Mrs)  
Bryant, Artelia T. (Mrs)  
Butler, Mabel L. (Mrs)  
Cameron, Sara L. (Mrs)  
Carrington, James W.  
Chase, Geneva (Miss) (died 11/71)



Perry, W. W.  
Reed, Japhene H. (Mrs)  
Roberts, Betty H. (Mrs)  
Scott, Gracie E. (Mrs)  
Southerland, Alma R. (Miss)  
Spaulding, A. T., Jr.  
Tatum, Gertie B. (Mrs)  
Thomas, Nathan L.  
Thorpe, Evelyn M. (Mrs)  
Upchurch, Wilhelminia (Mrs)  
Weaver, Lorraine A. (Mrs)  
Webb, Mae W. (Mrs)  
Wells, Barbara (Miss)  
Whitted, Shirley H. (Mrs)  
Williams, Coyle H. (Mrs)  
Young, Willie

Peterson, Mary R. (Mrs)  
Roberson, Leana (Miss)  
Saddler, Willie B. (Mrs)  
Snelling, Mae Pearl (Mrs)  
Spaulding, Adeline R. (Mrs)  
Spaulding, D. F.  
Taylor, Gertrude B. (Mrs)  
Thompson, Edna B. (Mrs)  
Tucker, Richalean (Miss)  
Waller, Ethel Faye (Miss)  
Weaver, Olivia C. (Mrs)  
Weeks, Hazel G. (Mrs)  
White, G. Wendell  
Wilson, Hazeline V. (Mrs)  
Wilson, Janie H. (Miss)



Clark, Hildred B. (Mrs)  
Clement, A. J. H., III  
Cobb, Alice L. (Miss)  
Cogwell, Emily T. (Mrs)  
Cooper, Juliette (Mrs)  
Crutchfield, James A.  
Faucette, Gladys P. (Mrs)  
Green, Cicero  
Hayes, Durlin C.  
Horton, Lee O  
Hunter, Lillie T. (Mrs)  
Jones, Dossie N.  
Jones, Mary W. (Mrs)  
Jordan, Bertha H. (Mrs)  
Kelly, Dorothy B (Mrs  
Turner, Runice (Mrs)  
Lipscomb, Theresa C. (Mrs)  
Lyon, Constantine G. (Mrs)  
McAllister Pearl J. (Mrs)  
McCollum, Ruth S. (Mrs)  
McLaughlin, Vivian P. (Mrs)  
Mason, Edna M. (Miss)  
Mebane, Geneva M. (Miss)  
Midgette, Onnie P. (Mrs)  
Monroe, Clatha L. (Mrs)  
Murphy, David, Jr.  
Nunn, Johnsie B. (Miss)

Cleland, Stella H. (Mrs)  
Closs, Betty P. (Mrs)  
Cobb, Gertrude (Miss)  
Coleman, Margaret H. (Mrs)  
Covington, Hazel N. (Mrs)  
Dalrymple, Celeste M. (Mrs)  
White, Willie B (Mrs)  
Hancock, Lucile J. (Mrs)  
Henry, Marion S. (Mrs)  
Hudson, Jimmie A. (Mrs)  
Bridges, DAisy L. (Mrs)  
Jones, Helen (Mrs)  
Jones, Vivian E. (Miss)  
Kellum, Audrey D. (Miss)  
King, Daisy C. (Mrs)  
Lewis, Lena T. (Mrs)  
Lockhart, Nola L. (Mrs)  
Lyon, Ruth (Mrs)  
McClinton, John W.  
McDonald, Barbara D. (Mrs)  
McMillan, Robert  
Mebane, Doris L. (Miss)  
Merritt, Martha N. (Mrs)  
Miller, Felix H.  
Muldrow, Gertrude C. (Mrs)  
Nunn, Georgia M. (Miss)  
Pamplin, Mary H. (Mrs)



Pierce, Douglass W.  
Hayes, Durlin C.  
Jones, Dossie N.  
Clemons, E. J.  
Halfacre, E. J.  
Pruden, Calvin , Jr.  
Norris, Curtis .  
Alston, V. Jeff  
Childer, John E.  
Craft, Lemuel Z.  
Edwards, Frank R.  
Davis, Harold R.  
Harrison, James C.  
Taylor, Leroy R.  
Totten, J. A.  
Watson, Connia H., Jr.  
Sloan, Maceo K.



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Church Office Hours: Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Pastor's Office Hours - On Vacation.

Church Address: P. O. Box 407 - 27702

3400 Fayetteville Street - 27707

Phone: 688-8136

2. We extend a cordial welcome to our visitors. Will you please join the pastor in the Fellowship Hall to meet the members and friends of this congregation immediately after the Benediction. Use a visitor's card from the pews or table in the vestibule and put it in the offering plate.

We extend an invitation to all to meet our guest speaker - Mr. John L. Berry in the Fellowship Hall following this service also.

See inserts for further announcements.

Our Vacation Preachers, August 1972 at the 10:55 a.m. Worship Service:

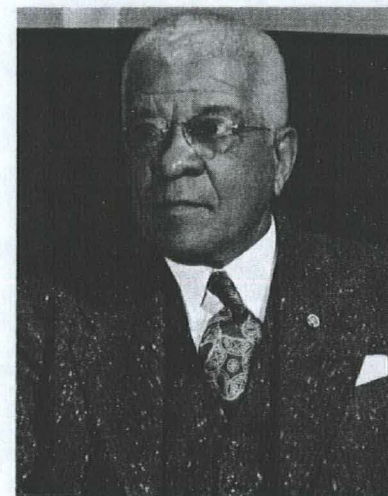
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|-------------------|---|---|
| Sunday, August 6  | - | Rev. S. P. Collins Kilburn<br>Director Social Ministry, Raleigh<br>North Carolina         |
| Sunday, August 13 | - | The Rev. Frederick D. Terry,<br>Chaplain, V. A. Hospital, Mar-<br>tinsburg, West Virginia |
| Sunday, August 20 | - | Dr. F. B. Weaver, Assistant Super-<br>intendent, Durham City Schools                      |
| Sunday, August 27 | - | Rev. H. Albert Smith, Pastor,<br>Shady Hill Baptist Church, Rox-<br>boro, North Carolina  |

TWENTIETH ANNUAL

## Charles Clinton Spaulding Scholarship Day

Sunday, July 30, 1972

10:50 a.m.



THE LATE  
CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING  
DEACON - TRUSTEE

### WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH

Lorenzo A. Lynch, Minister  
E. W. Midgette, Clerk  
C. C. Spaulding, Jr., Business Manager-Treasurer  
John H. Gattis, Organist-Director  
L. B. Frasier, Chairman, Program Committee



## CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING SCHOLARSHIP DAY

LET THE FIRST NOTE OF THE ORGAN BRING WORSHIPFUL SILENCE

### BRIEF HISTORY Of The Charles Clinton Spaulding Scholarship Memorial Fund

THE LATE CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING bequeathed to the White Rock Baptist Church in 1952 a sum of \$500. Upon the suggestion of the Pastor, Dr. Miles Mark Fisher (Deceased) the officers and members agreed that the money be used as a nucleus to establish a Memorial Scholarship Fund to perpetuate the memory of Dr. Spaulding. Mr. N. A. Cheek was named chairman of a committee to administer this fund. Scholarships were to be awarded to students of White Rock who desired to attend Shaw University, Raleigh, North Carolina. The First Sunday in August 1953 was designated as Charles Clinton Spaulding Memorial Scholarship Day at which time a special offering was taken to augment the Fund. This observance has continued every year since.

The fund has increased year after year. Scholarship loans have been made to students attending Shaw University. In April 1964 the church authorized a contribution of \$700 from the fund to pay the tuition fees of two Shaw University Divinity School students.

Charles Clinton Spaulding was born in Columbus County, North Carolina, August 1, 1874 and died August 1, 1952. In 1899 he became connected with the North Carolina Mutual and Provident Association (now the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company) as a part-time agent and on July 1, 1900 he was appointed General Manager on a full time basis. He was also elected a member of the Association's Board of Directors. In 1908 he was elected Vice President and General Manager. In 1919 he was elected Secretary-Treasurer and on April 29, 1923 he was elected President and served in that capacity for twenty-nine years. He was closely associated with many other business institutions of Durham serving as President of the Mechanics and Farmers Bank and Mutual Savings and Loan Association.

He was an ardent and devoted member of White Rock Baptist Church and served as Chairman of the Trustee Board and a Deacon.

Worship Service — 10:50 a.m.  
William A. Clement, Presiding

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| Organ Prelude . . . . .                      | "Come, Come Ye Saints" . . . . .              | John H. Gattis  |
| *Call To Worship . . . . .                   | "The Lord Is In His Holy Temple" . . . . .    | Willie Green  |
| *Hymn Of Praise . . . . .                    | "All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name" . . . . . | Senior Choir & Congregation   |
|  | #284  |   |
| Invocation . . . . .                         |   | J. W. Carrington  |
| **Choral Response . . . . .                  | "Let The Words Of My Mouth" . . . . .         | Senior Choir  |
| **Anthem . . . . .                           | "How Great Thou Art" . . . . .                | Senior Choir  |
| **Scripture #554 . . . . .                   |   | Durlin Hayes  |
| Children's Talk . . . . .                    |   | Dr. Tommie Young  |
| Anthem . . . . .                             | "Psalm CL" . . . . .                          | By Cesar Franck<br>Senior Choir   |
| <br>**Recognition Of Visitors                |   |   |
| Offering Sentence #653 (Unison) . . . . .    |   | William A. Clement  |
| Offertory Selection . . . . .                | "The Lost Chord" . . . . .                    | By Sullivan<br>John H. Gattis   |
| <br>Offering                                 |   |   |
| Prayer of Thanksgiving . . . . .             |   | Deacon J. H. Bell   |
| Introduction Of Speaker . . . . .            |   | William A. Clement  |
| *Hymn . . . . .                              | "Rise Up O Men Of God" . . . . .              | Choir & Congregation  |
|  | #93   |   |
| Address . . . . .                            |   | John L. Berry, Retired Manager<br>North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company<br>Baltimore, Maryland |
| <br>Invitation To Church Membership          |   |   |
| *Hymn . . . . .                              | "He Leadeth Me" . . . . .                     | Choir & Congregation  |
|  | #45   |   |
| <br>*Doxology                                |   |   |
| Closing Prayer . . . . .                     |   | William A. Clement  |
| *"The Lord Bless You And Keep You" . . . . . |   | Senior Choir  |
| <br>Organ Postlude                           |   |   |

\*Congregation Standing

\*\*Seat Worshipers. . . . .The Junior Ushers



## ABOUT OUR SPEAKER

JOHN LLOYD BERRY, RETIRED MANAGER  
NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

**BORN:** Baltimore, Maryland

**EDUCATION:** Graduated Baltimore High School 1913. A.B. Howard University 1917. Studied Accounting at the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania 1924.

**EMPLOYMENT:** Instructor in French, Baltimore High School, 1919 to 1924. Associated with North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, 1924 to 1961 as Special Ordinary Agent, Assistant District Manager and District Manager. Retired as District Manager of the East Baltimore District 1961.

**MILITARY SERVICE:** Served with the 325th Field Signal Battalion-92nd Division in France 1917-1918.

**POLITICS:** Nominated in the Republican Primary 1926 for Maryland House of Delegates. Defeated in the General Election. Delegate from Maryland to Republican National Convention, Kansas City, Mo., 1928. Appointed to the Balto. City Planning Commission 1944 and 1966. Appointed First Negro Magistrate of Baltimore, Md. in 1951. Served one year. Resigned after one year to return to full duties as District Manager, North Carolina Mutual.

**OTHER ACTIVITIES:** Foreman Grand Jury, Baltimore, May term 1971. Member, Board of Trustees, Cheltenham School for Boys. Member, Board of Trustees, Morgan State College, 1963 to 1967. Member, Green Commission to study higher education in the State of Maryland. Consultant, Urban League Voter Registration Campaign 1964.

**AFFILIATIONS:** Member, Baltimore City Planning Commission. Member, Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity. Elder, Grace United Presbyterian Church. Married to the former Ida Landrick of Brooklyn, New York. Residing at 2038 Druid Hill Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland.

WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH BULLETIN - Sunday, July 30, 1972

### HONORING OUR SENIOR CITIZENS

Tonight, 6:00 P.M. \* \* \* \* \*

Presiding, Mrs. Hattie Johnson

Hymns Introduction, Mrs. Gwendolyn Haskins

Preparing for Senior Citizenship, Mr. N.B. White

Senior Citizens and Recreation, Mr. E.B. Boyd

The Senior Citizen and The Law,

Senior Citizen and Himself,

Scripture, Mr. W.J. Kennedy, Jr.

Invocation, Mr. J.F. Pratt

Orations, Mrs. Adell Leach



1. CONTRIBUTIONS SUNDAY, July 23, 1972 ;  
Regular \$533.24; Building Fund \$884.70;  
Total \$1,417.94.

2. KNOWN SICK AND SHUT-IN:

Mrs. Mattie Alston, 957 Caldwell, c/o,  
Ploche, Bronx, N.Y.; Mrs. Sallie P. Barbee,  
20-A Moore Place; Mr. Nathaniel Brewington,  
525 Todd; Mrs. Susie M. Bullock, John Um-  
stead Hospital, Butner;; Miss Reida Curtis,  
518 Martha; Mrs. Bessie Davis, 1702 Fay-  
etteville; Miss Wilhelmenia Durham, 1312  
S. Roxboro; Mr. N.A. Dunn, 409 Brant; Mrs.  
Ida Eaton, 20-A Moore Place; Mrs. L.B.  
Farrington, 401 Pekoe; Mrs. C. Ferdinand,  
805 Elm, Goldsboro; Mr. York Garrett, Jr.  
1502 Fayetteville; Mrs. Beulah Henry, 511  
Dupree; Mrs. Julia Higgins, 202 Red Oak;  
Mr. James Howard, 411 Lawson; Mrs. Maud  
Logan, 601 Lawson; Mrs. Rosa Lunsford,  
John Umstead Hospital, Butner;; Mr. William  
L. Massey, V.A. Hospital; Mrs. Georgia  
McIntyre, 1710 Capps;

Mrs. Ada Meeks, 517 Martha; Mr.  
Raymond Mitchell, Box 4520 Fayetteville Rd;  
Mr. Reginald Mitchiner, V.A. Hospital; Mrs.  
Pearl Page, 1302 Fayetteville; Mrs. Josie  
Pittman, 1816 Cecil; Mrs. Rosa Powell,  
1204 Berkley; Mrs. Mamie Pretty, 203 Gould;  
Mrs. Callie Roberson, Medical Convalescent  
Complex, 411 LaSalle; Mr. I.R. Spaulding,  
1223 Rosewood; Mrs. Francis Stewart, 1223  
Fayetteville; Mrs. Pinkie Yates, 407 Memphis.

3. CHOIR REHEARSALS: Tuesday night, 7:00,  
Senior Choir; 6:30, Youth Choir; Thursday  
night, 7:30 Gospel Choir; August 13, (Sat-  
urday) 2:00-3:00 P.M., Junior Choir.

4. SOME MEETINGS:

Monday, July 31, 6:00 P.M.- Explorer  
Scouts, Community Center, 2502 Lane.

Monday, July 31, 5:00-6:00 P.M.- Boy  
Scouts, 1723 Athens.

Tuesday, Aug. 1, Joint Missionary  
Meeting, 4:00 P.M., Mrs. Mamie Weaver, 405  
Brant.

Wednesday, Aug. 2, - PRAYER MEETING-  
12:00 noon and 8:00 P.M. 1:00-2:00 P.M.  
working on problems of Human Need. Part  
of the Noon Prayer Meeting is Worship and  
part of it is helping to meet Human Needs.

5. Sympathy...To Mrs. Josephine Clement and  
Dr. Irene D. Jackson and families upon the  
loss of their mother, Mrs. Irene T. Dobbs  
who was funeralized in Atlanta last Tues-  
day.

6. All Baptist Assembly, Raleigh- August  
14-18, headquarters, Sir Walter Hotel.

7. Mr. Glennis Taylor and Mrs. Ethel  
Charles request the honour of your pres-  
ence at the ceremony uniting their daughter  
Faye to Mr. John "Spunky" Alston on Sat-  
urday, the fifth of August, Nineteen  
hundred and seventy-two at three o'clock  
in the afternoon, White Rock Baptist  
Church. Reception following in the Fellow-  
ship Hall. (Miss Faye Taylor is our sec-  
retary.)

8. Greetings...The C.R. Stanbacks, from  
Mexico.

9. CONTRIBUTIONS- Building Fund, 7-23-72:

Mrs. Ida Bradshaw	1.00
Mr. Dexter Clemons	.25
Mr. E.J. Clemons	25.00
Mr. & Mrs. Eldridge Coleman	20.00
Mrs. Effie Cotton	2.00
Mr. J.E. Cromartie	25.00
Mrs. Vivian Crump	5.00
Mr. S.L. Dudley	25.00
Mrs. Roxanna Easterling	1.00
Mr. Lewis Ewings	25.00
Mrs. Georgia Fellers	20.00
Mr. Lonnie Frazier	75.00
Mrs. Mable Freeland	10.00
Mrs. Pearl George	25.00
Mr. J.W. Goodloe	100.00
Mrs. Margaret Goodwin	10.00
Mr. Greenville Harris	5.00
Mr. James T. Hawkins	75.00
Mr. Durlin Hayes	25.00
Mr. I.R. Holmes	25.00
Mrs. Althea Holmes	25.00
Mrs. Ida Ingram	1.00
Mrs. Piccola Jones	10.00
Mr. Robert L. Jones	5.00
Mr. Samuel Jordan	50.00
Mrs. Zeda Kirk	8.00
Mrs. Annie Laster	4.30
Mr. Daniel Melton	3.00
Mrs. Portia McCoy	5.00
Mrs. Addie Pearson	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Charlie Pugh	20.00
Miss Sharyn Pugh	1.00
Jacqueline Redd	.10
Rebecca Redd	.15
Mr. Lonnie Smith	1.00
Miss Doris Stroud	10.00
Mr. Ralph Vaughan	5.00
Mrs. Margaret Wigfall	4.00
St. Matthew Cuthrell and	
Mrs. Grace, R.W.	50.00
Mrs. Frances Stewart	5.00
Mrs. Gertie Tatum	50.00
Mrs. Naomi Thorpe	50.00
Mrs. Willie B. White	50.00
Dr. Minnie T. Forte	100.00

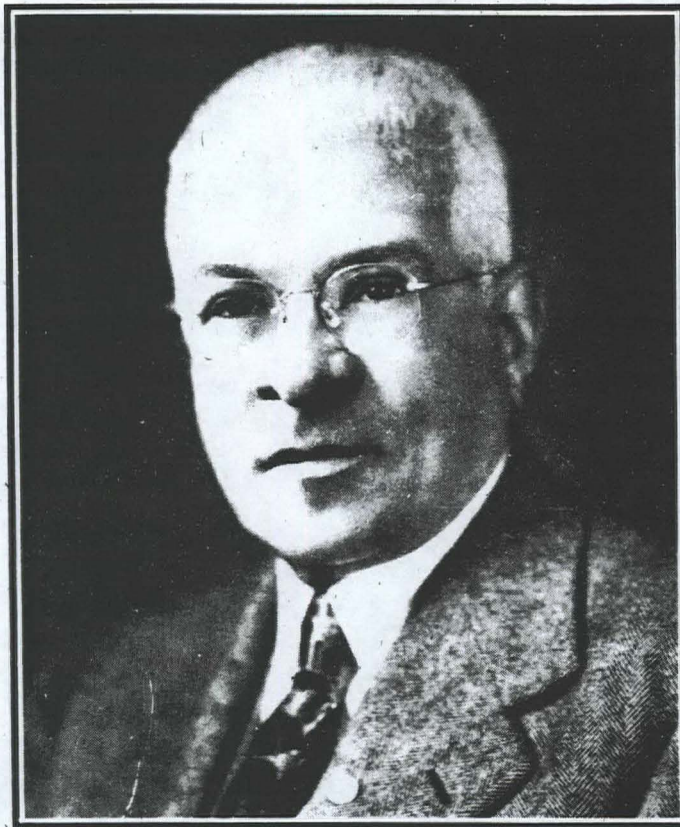


*"Our Year of Recommitment to Christ and His Church"*

# White Rock Baptist Church

3400 Fayetteville Street  
Durham, North Carolina 27707

## Celebrates



## Forty Fourth Annual Charles Clinton Spaulding Scholarship Day Deacon - Trustee

Sunday, February 25, 1996  
11:00 A.M.

**Dr. Reginald Van Stephens**  
Pastor

Dr. Joan P. Packenham, Clerk

Mrs. Willie B. Hill, Treasurer

Dr. Paula D. Harrell, Minister of Music



# Charles Clinton Spaulding

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The fund was increased to approximately \$3,000. Scholarship loans in the amount of approximately \$1,300 have been made to students attending Shaw University. In April 1964, the church authorized a contribution of \$700 from the fund to pay the tuition fees of two Shaw University Divinity School students.

Mr. Spaulding was educated at Whitted School, Durham, NC 1896-98; M.A. Shaw University 1921; LL.D. Shaw University 1936; Tuskegee Institute 1943; Atlanta University, 1944; one of the organizers of North Carolina Mutual Life insurance Company 1899; held position of agent, general inspector, general manager and secretary; President 1923-1952 also President Mutual Savings and Loan Association 1921-1952. Public service positions held in addition to war bond drive campaigns that won citations from Presidents Franklin D. Roosevelt and Harry S. Truman included: Vice President Bankers' Fire Insurance Company and Southern Fidelity Mutual Insurance Company; Trustee, North Carolina College at Durham and Shaw University, Stanford L. Warren Library; member and executive board chairman Lincoln Hospital; member Capital Accounts Committee, Durham Community Chest; Southern Education Foundation; deacon and chairman White Rock Baptist Church; secretary/treasurer North Carolina Commission on Interracial Cooperation; trustee Oxford Orphanage; member Durham County Selective Service Board; National Committee for the American Celebration of the 100th Anniversary of Liberia; N. C. Good Health Association; National Planning Association Committee of the South; vice president American Bible Society; New York State Chamber of Commerce, National Urban League, and United Negro College Fund.



**WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**DR. REGINALD VAN STEPHENS, PASTOR**  
**1866-OUR 130TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION YEAR-1996**  
**"OUR YEAR OF RECOMMITMENT TO CHRIST AND HIS CHURCH"**

**ORDER OF WORSHIP-SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1996**  
*"Let the first note of the organ bring worshipful silence"*

Organ Prelude. ....	Mrs. Phyllis Holliday
Call to Worship. ....	Reverend Thelma Battle
Choral Call to Worship. ....	Gospel Choir
Invocation. ....	Mr. James L. Dyer
	Retired North Carolina Mutual Employee
Response to Invocation. ....	Gospel Choir
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Remarks. ....	Mr. Aaron L. Spaulding
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Sacred Scripture Reading. ....	Reverend Thelma Battle
Response 538-"Gloria Patri". ....	Congregation & Choir
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Welcome of Visitors. ....	Mrs. Cynthia T. Traynham
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Selection-"Great Day". ....	Gospel Choir
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Prayer Time. ....	Dr. Stephens
Song of Preparation-"Jesus Never Fails". ....	Gospel Choir
THE PREACHING OF THE GOSPEL. ....	Dr. Reginald Van Stephens
	<i>"Bucks and Ballots: Building Blocks to Racial Respect"</i>
Invitation to Christian Discipleship	
Invitational Hymn 277-"I Surrender All". ....	Congregation & Choir
THE JOY OF GIVING. ....	Deacons & Youth
Offering Selection-"Stand By Me". ....	Gospel Choir
Prayer of Thanksgiving. ....	Deacon James W. Carrington
	Retired North Carolina Mutual Employee
Response 534-"Bless Thou The Gifts". ....	Congregation & Choir
Meditation	
Benediction. ....	Dr. Stephens
Response. ....	Congregation & Choir
Postlude. ....	Mrs. Holliday

\*\*\*\*Denotes seating late worshippers



## White Rock Scholarships Available in 1996

Field of Study	Scholarship	Where to Study
Religion, Recreation, Journalism	M.M. Fisher	No Special School
Pharmacy or Allied Health Field	Y.D. Garrett	Must live in Durham, Orange or Edgecombe Counties
English, Music or Drama	John H. Gattis	H.S. Graduates Only
Math. Math Educ. or Computer Science	J.H. Harrell	NCCU
No Special Area	James E. Shepard	NCCU
Religion	Charles C. Spaulding	Shaw University

### WHITE ROCK SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

**Victoria F. Bibby  
Talitha Faucette  
Elijah J. Fisher  
Nathan T. Garrett**

**Paula Harrell  
Nancy R. Rowland  
Aaron L. Spaulding  
Marva B. Thorpe**

**Ruth S. Boyd, Chairperson**

**Each scholarship has a small committee to screen applications for senior applicants.**

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The Bible Discovery Class will resume study on Wednesday, February 28th, 6:45 p.m. This will be a six (6) week study which will focus on the Old Testament books called the Law. The emphasis of this study will show how some of our Christian foundations were established as well as answer questions about why Jesus and Paul said what they did about the LAW. Please begin reading the book of Exodus, and bring your questions with you. Dr. Stephens will be the instructor.
2. NEED! Volunteer organizations/family members to pay for BLINDS in the following rooms; B62, B64, B70, Muriel George Room, Recreation Area and one window over the stairwell. THANK YOU KINDLY. SOME FAMILIES HAVE CONTRIBUTED ON SOME BLINDS ALREADY. THE NAMES WILL BE LISTED NEXT SUNDAY.
3. There will be a special meeting of the church called by the pastor on Monday night, February 26, at 6:45 p.m. All members are urged to be present. Pertinent information regarding the church will be presented.
4. In celebration of Women's History Month, Dr. Linda K. Norflett will be honored by UNC Chapel Hill's Playmakers Repertory Theatre March 14, 1996 at 7:45 p.m. This event will occur in the Paul Green Theatre on campus of the University of North Carolina Chapel Hill. A gala performance of the play from the Mississippi Delta begins at 8:00 p.m. Dr. Norflett is being honored for her local and national contributions in the area of dramatic art. We are certainly aware of Dr. Norflett's impact on the Durham Community. We want to congratulate her on this honor and show her how much we appreciate her efforts. The tickets are \$25.00 of which \$10.00 will benefit a local charity. This event is sponsored by the Durham Chapter of the Links Inc. and you may purchase tickets from Link members or call 493-4106.



Tuesday, August 5, 1952

# Durham Morning Herald



Spaulding Rites Attract Throng

Some 1,200 people gather outside White Rock Baptist Church to hear (via amplifiers) the funeral service for Dr. C. C. Spaulding, noted Negro business and civic leader. Visitors from many parts of the country were among another 800 persons who packed the interior of the church. (Staff Photos)

## Many Attend Funeral For Spaulding

Dr. Charles Clinton Spaulding, a tireless and careful leadership which nationally known Negro business leader and advocate of interracial Dr. Spaulding and his associates fluences would probably be seen provided in the South. Dr. Spaulding's most lasting in- unheard of if men would give Him their lives."

## City Council For Bus

### Delay Called On Compromise With Operators

Duke Power Asked  
To Work Out Plan  
With Local Riders

By HANK MESSICK  
Herald Staff Writer

The reduced bus schedule for Durham slated to go into effect on Aug. 17 for a 90-day trial period is off.

Pressure from citizens and a re-examination of its own actions caused the City Council to defer action last night for two weeks on a compromise route and schedule plan it had worked out with the Duke Power Company on Thursday.

Formal approval is necessary by the Council before the compromise plan can go into effect. At Thursday's meeting the Council was acting as a committee-of-the-whole. It approved the plan then but the necessary formal approval was not forthcoming last night.

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WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH  
OBSERVES

Charles Clinton Spaulding Scholarship Day

Sunday, August 4, 1957

7:30 P. M.

CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING

----- A great man, a great soldier, a stalwart  
friend and a mighty doer of deeds. His likeness may  
not come again in our time to light our devious  
pathways in a stormy world. But all of us will profit  
by its reflection and be able to step around some of  
life's pitfalls and set our foot down on firmer ground  
because he passed this way. -----

The Carolina Times  
August 9, 1952



The Late  
Charles Clinton Spaulding  
Deacon - Trustee



# CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING SCHOLARSHIP DAY

White Rock Baptist Church  
Sunday, August 4, 1957  
7:30 P. M.

Mrs. Artelia T. Bryant, Presiding

ORGAN PRELUDE . . . . . Miss Florida Fisher

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN . . . . . O Worship the King  
(See Across)

SCRIPTURE & PRAYER . . . . . John H. Betts

SELECTION . . . . . North Carolina Mutual  
Fairest Lord Jesus                      Mixed Chorus

READING . . . . . Mrs. Dorothy Allen  
"Greatness"  
By Samuel V. Cole

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER . . . . Mrs. Artelia Bryant,  
President - N. C. Mutual Forum

ADDRESS . . . . . J. W. Goodloe, Vice President-  
Secretary - N. C. Mutual  
Life Insurance Company

SELECTION . . . . . North Carolina Mutual  
We Are Climbing Jacob's Ladder      Mixed Chorus

REMARKS AND OFFERING . . . . Rev. M. M. Fisher-Pastor

BENEDICTION

ORGAN POSTLUDE . . . . . Miss Florida Fisher

## O, WORSHIP THE KING

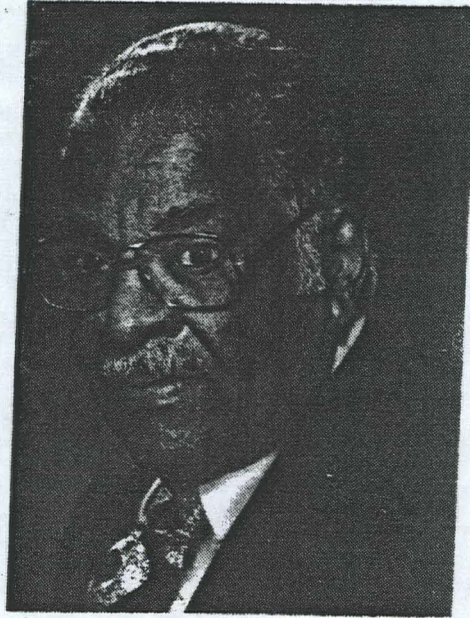
O, worship the King all glorious above, And gratefully  
sing His wonderful love; Our Shield and Defender, the  
Ancient of days, Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

O, tell of His might, and sing of His grace, Whose robe is the  
light, whose canopy space; His chariots of wrath the deep  
thunder clouds form, And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, In Thee do we  
trust, nor find Thee to fail; Thy mercies how tender! how  
firm to the end! Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer and Friend.



# IN MEMORIAM



**Charles Clinton Spaulding, Jr.**

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**White Rock Baptist Church**

3400 Fayetteville Street  
Durham, North Carolina

\* \* \* \* \*

**Sunday, September 13, 1987**

1:00 P.M.

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Conducted By Lorenzo A. Lynch, Pastor



## Obituary

**ATTORNEY CHARLES CLINTON SPAULDING, JR.**, son of the late Charles Clinton Spaulding and Mrs. Fannie Jones Spaulding, was born in Durham, North Carolina on November 10, 1907. He died at Duke University Medical Center on Thursday, September 10, 1987, after an illness of several months.

Mr. Spaulding was educated in the city schools of Durham and attended Hillside Park High School, Morehouse Academy in Atlanta, Georgia, and was graduated from Barringer High School in Newark, New Jersey in 1926. He received the Bachelor of Arts degree from Clark University, Worcester, Massachusetts in 1930. In 1935, he received the Bachelor of Laws degree from St. John's University School of Law.

Mr. Spaulding was employed by the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company in 1936 where he was assigned to the mortgage loan and real estate division of the Finance Department. As the first full-time attorney for the Company, his services were so valuable that he was appointed assistant to the treasurer in 1941, assistant treasurer in 1946, and counsel for the company in 1951.

Mr. Spaulding was primarily responsible for organizing the Mutual's Legal Department and was elected general counsel to the Company's Board of Directors in 1958. In 1962, Mr. Spaulding was elected vice president-general counsel, a position which he retained until he retired on October 31, 1973.

After his retirement from North Carolina Mutual, Mr. Spaulding entered into the private practice of law with the firm of Pearson, Malone, Johnson, DeJarmon and Spaulding where he remained until 1981. At the time of his death, he was a sole practitioner.

On September 1, 1936, Mr. Spaulding was married to the former Miss Mae Frances Bass, a Fredericksburg, Virginia native, who preceded him in death on February 1, 1959. To that union one son was born. On June 5, 1960, Mr. Spaulding was married to the former Mrs. Minnie Pearson Turner, a widow with three children, who predeceased him on February 14, 1985.

A man devoted to public service, Mr. Spaulding was active in various civic and community organizations. He was a member of the Executive Committee of the National Bar Association and served as its Treasurer for several years. An active member of Beta Phi Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Mr. Spaulding served as Keeper of Records and Seal for more than thirty years. Mr. Spaulding was appointed to the North Carolina Criminal Code Commission for a three-year term by former North Carolina Attorney General Rufus Edmisten and was instrumental in revising Chapter 15 of the North Carolina General Statutes.

Mr. Spaulding also was affiliated with the following organizations: member and former chairman of the Board of Directors of Mechanics and Farmers Bank, former member of the Board of Directors of Mutual Savings and Loan Association, member and former vice president of the George H. White Bar Association, member of the

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## 2 — Obituary

Durham County Bar Association, member of the American Bar Association, member of the Board of Directors, its Executive Committee, and former president of the Durham County Unit of the American Cancer Society, member of the Board of Directors of the Durham County Friends of the Library, member of the Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People, and member of the Board of Directors of St. Augustine's College and its Executive Committee.

A lifelong member of the White Rock Baptist Church, Mr. Spaulding served the church faithfully for many years as treasurer, business manager, member of the Board of Deacons, and member of the Board of Trustees. He was one of the original members of the Moore-Kennedy Bible Class. One of Mr. Spaulding's most enjoyable duties was serving as a member of the Planning and Construction Committees for the present church structure.

Mr. Spaulding is survived by one son, Charles Clinton Spaulding, III of Oakland, California; one sister, Mrs. Margaret Spaulding Shearin and one brother, Booker Benjamin Spaulding, both of Durham, North Carolina; and three stepsons, Israel Ezra Turner, Jr. of Sacramento, California, Eugene Pearson Turner and James Meredith Turner, both of Durham, North Carolina.

Other survivors include three nephews, Alexander Moore Shearin, Clinton Augustus Shearin, and Booker Benjamin Spaulding, Jr.; five sisters-in-law, Mrs. Adeline Reynolds Spaulding, Mrs. Marion Davis Spaulding, Mrs. Louise Pearson Hayes, Mrs. Anne Bass Sterling, and Mrs. Ruth Bass Newsome; one brother-in-law, Dr. Urbane F. Bass, Jr.; several cousins including Mrs. Otelia Spaulding Stewart, Mrs. Martha Spaulding Doms, Mrs. Margaret Kennedy Goodwin, Mrs. Charlotte Kennedy Sloan, Mrs. Ruth Spaulding Boyd, and William J. Kennedy, III; two stepdaughters-in-law, Mrs. Charlesetta Gaines Turner and Mrs. Vera Francis Turner; several step-grandchildren, several other relatives, and close friends.



# The Order of Worship

ORGAN PRELUDE ..... Mr. J.H. Gattis

## \*PROCESSIONAL

HYMN 28 — *"God of Our Life, Through All the Circling Years"* . . Choir and Congregation

SCRIPTURE 505 ..... The Rev. William W. Easley, Jr.  
Pastor, St. Joseph's A.M.E. Church and Congregation

PRAYER ..... The Rev. Z.D. Harris, Pastor  
Oak Grove F.W.B. Church

REMARKS ..... Dr. Prezell R. Robinson, President  
St. Augustine's College, Raleigh

Atty. W. Wayne Perry, Vice President-General Counsel  
North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co.

SOLO — *"Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me"* ..... Mrs. Latelle Vaughn

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS ..... Mr. J.M. Schooler

HYMN 251 — *"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"* ..... Choir and Congregation

EULOGY ..... Lorenzo A. Lynch

THE OMEGA HYMN

## \*RECESSIONAL

ORGAN POSTLUDE ..... Mr. Gattis

\* Please Stand

Intérment  
Beechwood Cemetery  
Durham, North Carolina

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White Rock Baptist Church  
Deacon Herbert E. Tatum, Jr.  
Deacon George Bridgers

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Attorney Thomas M. Ringer

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## Floral Bearers

Deaconesses — White Rock Baptist Church  
The Durham Chapter of National Barristers' Wives, Incorporated  
Maud E. Logan District — White Rock Baptist Church

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## Acknowledgment

*The members of the family wish to express their sincere appreciation to all of you for every act of kindness that was extended during the illness and subsequent death of their loved one.*

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A meal will be served to the family and out of town guests in the fellowship hall of our church today, immediately after the burial.

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The members of the Spaulding family wish to acknowledge with sincere appreciation the many kind expressions of sympathy from their friends.



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**A Service of Worship**

of

*The Almighty God  
Upon the Occasion of the Death*

of

MRS. CHARLOTTE GARNER SPAULDING



SAINT JOSEPH'S A. M. E. CHURCH  
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA



Friday, August 6, 1971  
4:00 P.M.



LORENZO A. LYNCH  
PASTOR, WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH,  
OFFICIATING



## THE ORDER OF WORSHIP



### OBITUARY



MRS. CHARLOTTE GARNER SPAULDING, widow of the late C. C. Spaulding, Sr., died Tuesday, August 3, at Lincoln Hospital after an extended illness.

Mrs. Spaulding, a native of South Carolina, was first married to Joseph Garner who was district manager of the Columbia, South Carolina District of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company and a director of the Company. She worked with Mr. Garner as his assistant until his death. At that time she moved to Newark, New Jersey, where she lived until she married Mr. Spaulding in 1920.

She was a member of White Rock Baptist Church, the Philathea Sunday School Class, and the Dorcus Club. During her active years she was an ardent supporter of the Young Women's Christian Association of which she was a life member.

She is survived by two nephews, Asher Gaten of Long Island, New York, and Stephen Gaten of East Orange, New Jersey, and four stepchildren, Mrs. Margaret Spaulding Shearin, C. C. Spaulding, Jr., John Aaron Spaulding, and Booker Benjamin Spaulding of Durham; four grandchildren, Alexander Moore Shearin of Columbia, South Carolina, Clinton Augustus Shearin of Durham, Charles Clinton Spaulding, III, of Charlotte, North Carolina, and Booker Benjamin Spaulding, Jr., United States Air Force, stationed at Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls, Texas, and three great-grandchildren.

ORGAN PRELUDE.....Mrs. Lavinia Parker

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN—"O God, Our Help In Ages Past".....Choir and Congregation  
(See Hymn Sheet)

SCRIPTURE—The Ninety-First Psalm.....The Reverend Philip R. Cousin

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.....Mr. Herbert E. Tatum, Jr.

SOLO.....Mrs. Latelle Vaughn

HYMN—"He Leadeth Me" .....Choir and Congregation  
(See Hymn Sheet)

MESSAGE.....The Reverend Lorenzo A. Lynch

RECESSIONAL



Burial— Beechwood Cemetery



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### Pallbearers

White Rock Usher Board

### Honorary Pallbearers

White Rock Trustee Board

### Floral Bearers

A.T. Torrence District  
Maud E. Logan District  
Deaconess Board

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### Acknowledgement

*Thank you dear friends for your many expressions of love and caring during the life and illness of our father, grandfather and great-grandfather. We deeply appreciate your many kindnesses since his death. May God continue to bless each of you.*

*The Family*

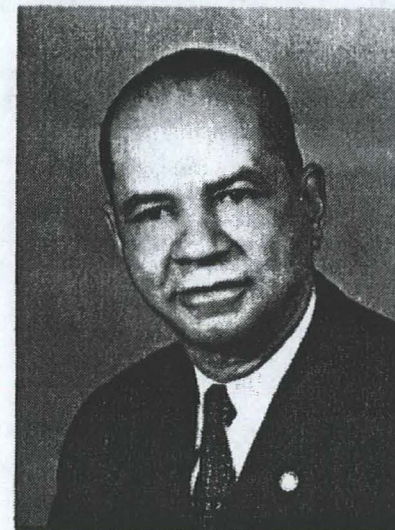
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### A SERVICE OF WORSHIP OF THE ALMIGHTY GOD UPON THE DEATH OF



Mr. D. Fuller Spaulding

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White Rock Baptist Church  
3400 Fayetteville Street  
Durham, North Carolina  
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Saturday, February 20, 1988  
12 O'Clock Noon  
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The Reverend Lorenzo A. Lynch, Pastor, Officiating



## Obituary

D. FULLER SPAULDING was born on June 1, 1900, in Columbus County, North Carolina, and had been a resident of Durham for over 60 years. He died on Monday, February 15, 1988 at Pine Knoll Acres Rest Home after an extended illness.

He was employed by North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company July 1, 1921 as a Type Operator in the Printing Department. In 1932, he was appointed Chief Clerk of the Printing Department. On January 28, 1960, he was named manager. He was affectionately called "Mr. Perfection" because of his high ideals in producing work of superior quality. He retired from North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company on December 31, 1965 after 44 years of dedicated, faithful and loyal service.

He was a member of White Rock Baptist Church where he served as a trustee.

On June 27, 1928, he married Reba Anderson and to this union three children were born, Gloria, Barbara and Reginald.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Donald Hill (Gloria) of Durham, Mrs. Roland Hayes (Barbara) of Winston-Salem and one son, Reginald Spaulding of Tacoma, Washington; a son-in-law, Judge Roland H. Hayes, Winston-Salem; six grandchildren, Barbara Edwards and Tanya Washington of Durham, Willa Richardson, Roland Hayes, Jr., John Hayes and Reba Hayes of Winston-Salem and four great-grandchildren.

Other surviving relatives are Mr. Asa T. Spaulding of Durham and Mrs. Cecil B. Spaulding of Clarkton, N.C., and several nieces and nephews.

## The Order of Worship

ORGAN PRELUDE.....Mr. J.H. Gattis

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN #45 — *He Leadeth Me*.....Choir and Congregation

SCRIPTURE.....Rev. Lorenzo A. Lynch and Congregation  
Psalm 23, Psalm 121

SOLO.....Mrs. Tracey Edwards

PRAYER

SELECTION — *His Eye Is On The Sparrow*....Choir and Congregation

MEDITATION.....The Reverend Lorenzo A. Lynch

RECESSIONAL

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Interment  
Glennview Memorial Park

DRIVERS IN THE PROCESSION, PLEASE TURN ON HEADLIGHTS FOR SAFETY.



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~ Floral Bearers ~

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Members of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority

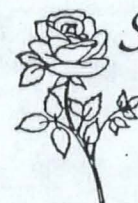


*It's sometimes hard to understand,  
Why these things have to be  
Our sad hearts seek the answer  
But it's not for us to see.*

*We can only trust in God  
And know that in some way,  
It's all a part of his great plan  
We'll understand someday.*

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*Service Of Remembrance  
For*

*Ethelyn Wilson Spaulding*



**ST. JOHN A.M.E. CHURCH**

Conway, North Carolina

**Wednesday, December 28, 1994**

**11:00 A.M.**

**Rev. James P. Baker, Pastor**



~ Order of Service ~

Processional

Hymn # 323....."What A Friend We Have In Jesus"

Prayer.....Rev. Charles R. Tyner

Scripture.....Rev. James P. Baker

Hymn # 227....."Come Ye Disconsolate"

Words of Comfort.....Rev. James P. Baker

Recessional

~ Interment ~

Unity Cemetery

Rocky Mount, North Carolina



## Acknowledgement

*The members of the family are deeply grateful and appreciative for all messages and kindness rendered during our bereavement.*

*The Family*

~ Obituary ~

**Ethelyn Wilson Spaulding**, daughter of the late John and Ethelyn Parker Wilson, was born in Charleston, South Carolina. At the age of five she moved to Cheraw, South Carolina to live with her aunt and her husband, Dr. and Mrs. George Waldo Long.

In 1940, she was united into marriage to Oscar B. Spaulding. They were blessed with two children, Oscar B. Jr. and Yvonne.

She attended Coulter Memorial Academy, Cheraw, South Carolina where she finished High School in June, 1933. She entered Barber-Scotia Junior College and completed the two year program. She then transferred to Johnson C. Smith University in Charlotte, North Carolina where she graduated in 1937 with an A.B. Degree. She then entered Hampton Institute Library School where she received a BLS Degree. She worked as librarian in colleges in Texas, South and North Carolina before becoming librarian at Willis Hare School in Pendleton, North Carolina.

She became affiliated with St. John A. M. E. Church in 1957 where she remained a faithful member.

She leaves to mourn her passing: her husband, Oscar; one son, Oscar, Jr.; one daughter, Yvonne S. Smith, both of Charlotte, North Carolina; three grandchildren, Carmen W. Spaulding, Collin E. Smith and Curtis McNair all of Charlotte, North Carolina; one daughter-in-law, Sylvia M. Spaulding of Charlotte, North Carolina; one son-in-law, Charles E. Smith of Charlotte, North Carolina; one sister, Oletha W. Counts of Charlotte, North Carolina; two brothers, Robert E. Wilson of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and Thomas M. Wilson of Bronx, New York, many nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.



ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Booker B. Spaulding	Sterlin M. Holt
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Officers, Directors, and Members of the Printing Department  
of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company

FLORAL BEARERS

The Philathea Sunday School Class of White Rock Baptist Church  
The College View District Ladies  
The Wisteria Club



:--: ACKNOWLEDGMENT :--:

*The FAMILY wishes to express sincere thanks and gratitude  
for the many acts of kindness shown by the many friends during  
his illness and bereavement.*



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In Memoriam



ISRAEL ROYAL SPAULDING

1886 — 1973



WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH  
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA



WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1973  
4:00 P.M.



LORENZO A. LYNCH, Minister



:--: O B I T U A R Y :--:



ISRAEL ROYAL SPAULDING, son of the late Benjamin McIver and Margaret Moore Spaulding, was born in Columbus County, North Carolina on September 16, 1886.

Mr. Spaulding departed this life at the Lincoln Hospital, Durham, North Carolina on Sunday afternoon, February 18, 1973.

He began his career with the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company around the year 1908. Mr. Spaulding served the company in many capacities, including being Field Supervisor and District Manager in Savannah, Georgia for thirteen years. After moving to Durham, he worked in the Home Office Printing Department until his retirement in 1956.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ruth Whitted Spaulding; one son, Royal Alexander Spaulding of Springfield Gardens, New York; one daughter, Mrs. Ruth S. Boyd, Durham, North Carolina; one sister, Mrs. Margaret Spaulding Kennedy of Durham, North Carolina; one granddaughter, Jacqueline Elise Spaulding, Springfield Gardens, New York, plus a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.



GETTING READY

*There is only one way to get ready for immortality, and that is to love this life and live it as bravely and faithfully, and cheerfully as we can. — HENRY VAN DYKE.*

:--: MEMORIAL SERVICE :--:



PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN—"Abide With Me"—#47.....The Choir

SCRIPTURE—Psalm #46.....The Reverend S. P. Biggers

PRAYER.....The Reverend Lorenzo A. Lynch

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.....E. W. Midgett

SOLO—"Just A Closer Walk With Thee".....Miss Ella Britton

EULOGY.....The Reverend Lorenzo A. Lynch

HYMN—"What A Friend We Have In Jesus"—#224 ..The Choir

RECESSIONAL



Interment — Beechwood Cemetery



PALLBEARERS  
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The Squirrels  
Friends at N.C. Mutual Life Insurance Co.

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### Acknowledgment

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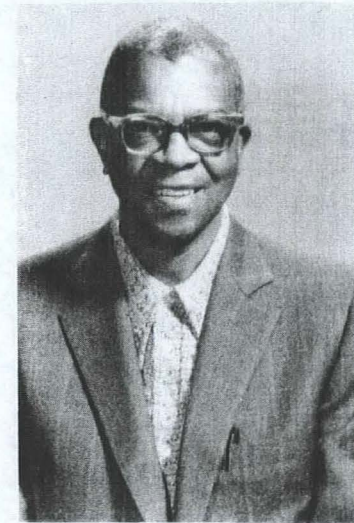
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## IN LOVING MEMORY



**John Aaron Spaulding**

1910-1982

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**White Rock Baptist Church**  
3400 Fayetteville Street  
Durham, North Carolina

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**Sunday, May 9, 1982**

1:00 PM

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Lorenzo A. Lynch, Pastor, Officiating



## Obituary

JOHN AARON SPAULDING, son of the late Charles Clinton Spaulding and Fannie Jones Spaulding, was born in Durham, North Carolina on May 29, 1910, and died on Thursday evening, May 6, 1982, at Duke Hospital after a lengthy illness.

On December 28, 1937, he was married to the former Adeline Buford Reynolds of Durham, North Carolina.

Mr. Spaulding's early education was received in Durham City Schools. He attended Elliott Street High in Newark, New Jersey, and was graduated in 1928. From there he went to Hampton Institute in Hampton, Virginia, from which he was graduated in 1932.

After his graduation he was employed first at the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company and then at Mechanics and Farmers Bank. His longest period of employment was with the Bankers Fire Insurance Company. His last employment was with Ampix Studios in Durham.

All of his life he was a faithful member of White Rock Baptist Church where he served for many years as a member of the Ushers Board and of the Moore-Kennedy Bible Class.

Mr. Spaulding is survived by his wife, Mrs. Adeline R. Spaulding; his sister, Mrs. Margaret S. Shearin; two brothers, Charles Clinton Spaulding, Jr., and Booker Benjamin Spaulding, all of Durham. He is also survived by a niece, Miss Brenda Clegg of Newark, New Jersey; four nephews, Alexander Moore Shearin, Jr. of Columbia, South Carolina, Clinton Augustus Shearin of Durham, North Carolina, Charles Clinton Spaulding, III, of Berkley, California, Booker Benjamin Spaulding, Jr., United States Air Force in San Vito, Italy; and a host of other relatives and friends.

## Order of Worship

ORGAN PRELUDE ..... Mr. John H. Gattis

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN — #28 "*God Of Our Life*"

PRAYER ..... Father Calvin R. Griffin  
*Rector, St. Titus' Episcopal Church*

SCRIPTURE 505 ..... Father Calvin R. Griffin  
and Congregation

SOLO — "*His Eyes Is On The Sparrow*" ..... Ms. Patricia Keith

ACKNOWLEDGMENT ..... Mr. J.M. Schooler, Sr.  
*Chairman, Deacon Board*

EULOGY ..... The Reverend Lorenzo A. Lynch

HYMN — #229 "*Father Almighty, Bless Us With The Blessing*"

RECESSIONAL

ORGAN POSTLUDE ..... Mr. John H. Gattis

INTERMENT  
BEECHWOOD CEMETERY  
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

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**Pallbearers**  
*Friends of the Family*

**Floral Bearers**  
*Episcopal Church Women  
of  
St. Titus Episcopal Church*

**Honorary Floral Bearers**  
*Friends of North Carolina Central University  
Iota Phi Lambda Sorority, Rho Chapter  
Squirrel Pinochle Club  
House Treatment Life Care*

**Acknowledgment**

*The family greatly appreciates the many acts of love and kindness extended to them by their many friends. May the Lord continue to richly bless each of you.*

*The Episcopal Church Women of St. Titus Episcopal Church will serve the family and out of town guests dinner in the church immediately following interment.*

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**In Loving Memory**  
**of**  
**Mrs. Marion B. Spaulding**  
**(February 15, 1915 - October 3, 1992)**



**Friday, October 9, 1992**  
**1:00 p.m.**

**St. Titus Episcopal Church**  
**400 Moline Street**  
**Durham, North Carolina**

**The Reverend Monroe Freeman**  
**Celebrant**



# The Order of Service

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### \* Please be seated

Celebrant .....	<i>The Reverend Monroe Freeman</i>
Assistants .....	<i>Mrs. Catherine Barnes</i>
	<i>Dr. Cecil Patterson</i>
Musicians .....	<i>Dr. Brenda Armstrong</i>
	<i>Mrs. Alice Stewart</i>
	<i>St. Titus Episcopal Church Choir</i>

**Interment**  
Beechwood Cemetery  
Fayetteville Street  
Durham, North Carolina

DRIVERS IN THE PROCESSION, PLEASE TURN ON YOUR HEADLIGHTS FOR SAFETY.

# The Obituary

Mrs. Marion D. Spaulding was born on February 15, 1915 in Raleigh, NC. She departed this walk of life on Saturday, October 3, 1992 at Durham Regional Hospital, Durham, NC, after a lingering illness. She was raised by her foster parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Curtis.

She received her education in the Raleigh City Public School System and was a graduate of St. Augustine's College, Raleigh, NC, where she earned a Bachelor's Degree in Social Studies. She served as Assistant Librarian at the Richard B. Harrison Library, Raleigh, NC and with the Mechanics and Farmers Bank in both Raleigh, NC and Durham, NC. In 1940, she moved to Durham, NC and in 1949 began a tenure at North Carolina Central University, Durham, NC. During her tenure at North Carolina Central University, she was a secretary in various departments and to the Dean of the Undergraduate School of Arts and Sciences that extended until her retirement in 1980.

In August 1945, she was united in Holy Matrimony to Mr. Booker B. Spaulding of Durham, NC and to this union one son was born.

She is a member of the St. Titus Episcopal Church, Durham, NC, where she served as a member of the St. Titus Episcopal Church Choir, an Episcopal Church Women officer and a United Thank Offering leader. She is also a member of the Iota Phi Lambda Sorority, Rho Chapter.

She leaves to cherish her memory and mourn her loss, her husband, Mr. Booker B. Spaulding, Sr. of the home; one son, Mr. Booker B. Spaulding, Jr. of England; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Tracy M. Spaulding of England; one grandson, Mr. Lamont John Spaulding of England; one uncle, Mr. William H. Sullivan of Philadelphia, PA; many cousins and a host of other loving relatives and friends.

## In Memoriam

God saw that she was tired and weary,  
So He did what He knew was best;  
He came and stood beside her,  
And whispered, "Come home with Me and rest."  
She bade no one a fond farewell,  
Nor even said goodbye;  
She was gone before we knew it,  
And only God knows why.  
She left her love and wisdom,  
But the pain still makes us cry;  
We will have to say, "Farewell we love you,"  
But we will never be able to say goodbye.

**The Family**



## **MRS. MARION D. SPAULDING**

Mrs. Marion Davis Spaulding of 1603 Lincoln St., died Saturday in Durham Regional Hospital.

Mrs. Spaulding was a native of Raleigh and attended Raleigh city schools. She received her bachelor's degree in social services from St. Augustine's College.

Before retiring, Mrs. Spaulding was a secretary at N.C. Central University and was dean of the undergraduate School of Arts and Science. She was a member of Rho Chapter of Iota Lambda sorority.

Mrs. Spaulding served as assistant librarian at Richard B. Harrison Library in Raleigh and was employed at Mechanics and Farmer Bank in Raleigh and Durham. She was a member of St. Titus Episcopal Church.

The funeral will be conducted at 1 p.m. Friday in St. Titus Episcopal Church by Father Monroe Freeman. Burial will be in Beechwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Spaulding is survived by her husband, Mr. Booker B. Spaulding; a son, Mr. Booker B. Spaulding Jr. of England; and a grandson.

The family will receive visitors from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. today at Scarborough & Hargett Funeral Home, where the Rho Chapter of Iota Lambda sorority will conduct a ceremony from 6:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.



### Floral Bearers

Ladies - College View District  
Philathea Church School Class  
Senior Citizens  
and  
S W Mission Group  
of  
White Rock Baptist Church  
Rosewood Street Neighbors  
Junior Mother's Club  
Squirrel's Pinochle Club

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### Pallbearers

Men - College View District  
and  
Trustees  
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### Acknowledgment

*The family wishes to thank their many friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown to us during the illness and demise of our loved one. May God Bless each of you.*

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A meal will be served to the family immediately after the burial in the fellowship hall.

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## IN MEMORIAM



Mrs. Ruth Whitted Spaulding

July 2, 1895

March 31, 1988

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White Rock Baptist Church

3400 Fayetteville Street  
Durham, North Carolina

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Saturday, April 2, 1988

1:00 P.M.

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Conducted by Lorenzo A. Lynch, Pastor



## Obituary

MRS. RUTH ALEXANDRIA WHITTED SPAULDING, daughter of the late Andrew H. and Annie Hunter Whitted, widow of the late Israel Royal Spaulding, died Thursday afternoon, March 31, 1988 at Durham County General Hospital.

Mrs. Spaulding was a native of Hillsborough, N.C. She attended school in Mebane, N.C., Henderson Normal Institute and Chautauqua Religious and Training School. She taught school in Orange County at Carr School 1917-1919. Upon marrying, she moved to Savannah, Ga. where she lived for six years; giving birth to a son, Royal Alexander Spaulding, who preceded her in death. She moved to Durham in 1925 and joined White Rock Baptist Church.

She was active for many years in the Philathea Sunday School Class, the Senior Citizens, the Sick and Shut-In Committee, and the College View District. She was also a member of the Rosewood St. Organization, the Wisteria Bridge Club and the Community Life Program at Duke Memorial Methodist Church.

Mrs. Spaulding is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Ruth A. Boyd, of Durham; two sisters, Mrs. Minerva Hunter of Fayetteville and Mrs. Maud Holt of Mebane; two grandchildren, Edward Royal Boyd of Durham and Jacqueline S. McCoy of Arcadia, Calif.; a son-in-law, Edward B. Boyd of Durham; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Valdora T. Spaulding of Springfield Gardens, N.Y.; three great grandchildren, Edward R. Boyd, Jr., and Erica Renee Boyd of Dale City, Va., and Alexander Charles McCoy of Arcadia, Calif.; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and loyal neighbors and friends.

*God lent her to me for my very own,  
Let me become her daughter, me alone!  
Gave her to me not for an hour — for years!  
My heart is filled forever with a song,  
Because God let me have her so long.  
She was my own until I fully knew  
And never could forget how deep and true  
A mother's love for her own children may be.  
It drew me nearer God Himself; for she has loved  
His Son. (These are but grateful tears —  
That she was with me all those happy years!)*

## The Order of Worship

THE ORGAN PRELUDE ..... Mr. J.H. Gattis

\*PROCESSIONAL

HYMN 14 — "Great is Thy Faithfulness" ..... Choir and Congregation

SCRIPTURE 506 (Isaiah 40:25-31) .. . . . The Rev. Paul Anderson and  
Congregation

Pastor, Rock Spring Baptist Church  
Creedmoor

PRAYER..... The Rev. Leonzo D. Lynch  
Pastor, Mt. Level Baptist Church

SOLO — "His Eye is on the Sparrow" ..... Miss Delois Williams

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS ..... Mr. J.M. Schooler

HYMN 223 "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say" .... Choir and Congregation

EULOGY ..... Lorenzo A. Lynch

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ORGAN POSTLUDE ..... Mr. Gattis

\* Please Stand

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Burial  
Beechwood Cemetery  
Durham

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*The Family of Oscar B. Spaulding  
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Ethelyn Wilson Spaulding*

*She expired on Sunday, December 25, 1994  
at her home in Pendleton, North Carolina*

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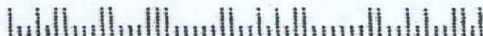


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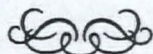
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## The Order of Service

SCRIPTURE.....The Reverend Louis H. Wade  
     Old Testament  
     New Testament  
 PRAYER.....The Reverend Louis H. Wade  
 SOLO .....Mrs. Marsha G. Kee  
 REMARKS  
 COMMITTAL .....The Reverend Louis H. Wade  
 BENEDICTION.....The Reverend Louis H. Wade

### A Psalm of David

*The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy will follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.*

Psalm 23

In Loving Memory  
 of  
**MRS. MAMIE MITCHELL SPAULDING**  
 (January 3, 1892 - August 1, 1994)



Graveside Service  
 Friday, August 5, 1994  
 10:00 A.M.

Beechwood Cemetery  
 Fayetteville Street and Cornwallis Road  
 Durham, North Carolina 27707

The Reverend Louis H. Wade  
 Officiating Minister

## The Obituary

MRS. MAMIE MITCHELL SPAULDING, daughter of the late Mr. Calvin Mitchell and the late Mrs. Mary Mitchell, was born on January 3, 1892 in Columbus County, North Carolina. She departed this life on Monday, August 1, 1994 in Brooklyn, New York.

She received her education at Boylan-Haven-Mather Academy, Camden, South Carolina and Shaw University, Raleigh, North Carolina.

She was united in Holy Matrimony to the late Mr. Emanuel Garland Spaulding, Sr.

She leaves to cherish her memory and mourn her loss, two daughters, Mrs. Vivian S. Bryant of Brooklyn, New York and Mrs. Maymette S. Carter of Englewood, New Jersey; one son, Mr. E. G. Spaulding, Jr. of New York, New York; two daughters-in-law, Mrs. Christina Spaulding and Mrs. Mildred Spaulding, both of New York, New York; two sons-in-law, Mrs. Ages Bryant of New York, New York and Mr. Hubert Carter of Englewood, New Jersey; one granddaughter, Mrs. Claudia Burghardt Morgan of New York, New York; one grandson, Dr. Kenneth Spaulding of Kansas City, Missouri; one great-granddaughter, Mrs. Jennifer M. Bennett; three great-grandsons, Mr. Zachary Ross Morgan, Mr. Eman Spaulding and Mr. Gerrian Spaulding and a host of loving nieces, nephews, cousins and dear friends too numerous to name.



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DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

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Tuesday, October 19, 1971  
4:00 P.M.

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THE REVEREND LORENZO A. LYNCH, *Minister*



## OBITUARY

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MRS. JANIE MARIE SPAULDING, wife of the late Alonzo Gaston Spaulding was born in Clarkton, North Carolina and departed this life Sunday, October 17, 1971, 7:00 A.M. at her home, 110 Lawson Street.

She moved to Durham at an early age and attended Durham City Schools and continued her education at Hampton Institute, Hampton, Virginia.

She was a loyal and faithful member of White Rock Baptist Church and the Adult Missionary Sunday School Class Number Two.

Mrs. Spaulding was one of the first clerks employed at the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company. For many years, she owned and operated a Real Estate agency.

She was one of the organizers of the Harriet Tubman Branch of the Y.W.C.A. and a life member of this organization. She was a charter member of the Daughters of Dorcas Club.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Otelia J. Stewart and Mrs. Martha S. Doods, both of Durham; four grandchildren, Mrs. Marie S. Foley of Los Angeles, California, Mrs. Jeanetta S. Steele of Dayton, Ohio, Lieutenant James A. Stewart of Ft. Eustis, Virginia, and Wauna L. Doods, Jr. of Virginia Beach, Virginia; two great-grandchildren, Mark A. and Monica L. Doods, Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Also surviving are two halvesisters, Mrs. Badie S. McEachin and Mrs. Isadora Brennon of Durham; and one halfbrother, McIver Spaulding of Clarkton, North Carolina, and a host of relatives and friends.

## ORDER OF SERVICE

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ORGAN MEDITATION..... J. H. GATTIS

THE PROCESSIONAL

HYMN—"A Mighty Fortress" No. 31..... THE CHOIR

PRAYER }  
SCRIPTURE }..... THE REVEREND L. A. MILLER

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS..... NATHAN THOMAS

HYMN—"I Am Bound For The Promised Land"..... THE CHOIR

EULOGY..... THE REVEREND LORENZO A. LYNCH

RECESSIONAL

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INTERMENT IN BEECHWOOD CEMETERY



## IN MEMORIAM



**Mrs. Minnie Willette Pearson Turner Spaulding**

1907 — 1985

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**St. Joseph's African Methodist Episcopal Church**

Durham, North Carolina

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**Monday, February 18, 1985**

2:00 P.M.

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Reverend William Webster Easley, Jr., Officiating



# Order of Service

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In addition to her husband, Mrs. Spaulding is survived by three sons, Israel Ezra Turner, Jr. of Sacramento, California; Eugene Pearson Turner and James Meredith Turner, both of Durham, North Carolina; one stepson, Charles Clinton Spaulding, III of Berkeley, California; two daughters-in-law, Mrs. Charlesetta Gaines Turner of Sacramento, California; and Mrs. Vera Francis Turner of Durham, North Carolina; one sister, Mrs. Mary Louise Pearson Hayes, and one brother, Judge William Gaston Pearson, II, both of Durham, North Carolina; eight grandchildren, Michael Kevin Turner, Rodney Dale Turner, Bryan Pearson Turner, Jerome Stephan Turner, Lisa Renee Turner, Richard Israel Turner, and Regina Willette Turner, all of Sacramento, California; and Nicole Dionne Turner of Durham, North Carolina.

Other survivors include three nephews, Edward Lewellyn Hayes, Jr., Michael Pearson Hayes, and William Gaston Pearson, III; and several cousins — Mrs. Thelma Bailey Lanier, Miss Addie L. Bailey, Mrs. Cynthia Pearson Smith, Mrs. Julia Hicks Henderson, Mrs. Wyonella Hicks Smith, Miss Margaret L. Burton, Mrs. Clara Louise Burton Brown-ing, Mrs. Mattie Burton Meyers, and Mr. Fred Langston Burton, Jr.

*O Love that wilt not let me go,  
I rest my weary soul in Thee;  
I give Thee back the life I owe,  
That in Thine ocean depths its flow  
May richer, fuller be.*



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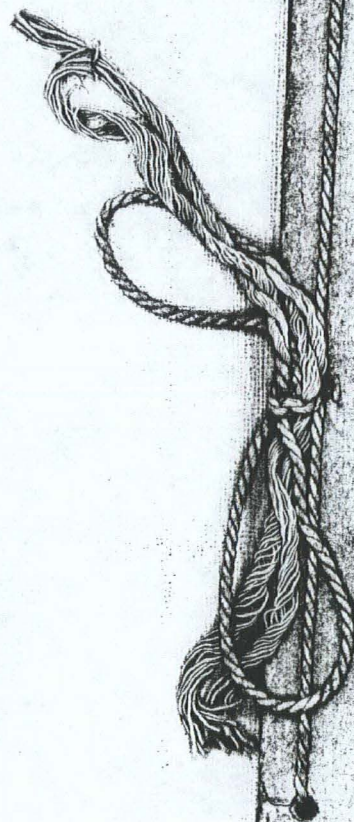


# In Memoriam

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Fannie Spaulding

1878-1919





THE sad news affected me more deeply than I can express. Having known Mrs. Spaulding more intimately during the past year than ever before, I learned to love her, and the contact with her made impressions on me which I cannot soon forget. Her patience in suffering and her quiet, unassuming manner at all times, are two lessons I learned from her which I shall try to imitate.

IF a beautiful rose that you once fondly loved  
Had dropped its sweet petal away—  
Had wafted its sweet scent to you just a short while  
And had lasted just for a day;  
When you gathered those leaves and threw them aside,  
You'd remember the pleasure they wrought,  
And the sadness at losing a flower so fair  
Would be lost in the gladness of thought.

Now, so with a soul that we once dearly loved,  
And who wandered beyond and ahead.  
Can't you feel that her love and her presence are near  
Since the beautiful spirit's not dead?  
For the merciful Power holds all that e'er was.  
There's nothing once lived that can die;  
And 'tis only our weakness that saddens the truth  
That all will come right by and by.

The roses we fondled, the hearts that we loved—  
Our mothers, our wives, our young—  
Will stand re-united in glorious love  
When the work we're doing is done!

## Funeral Services of Mrs. Fannie Spaulding

White Rock Baptist Church, Durham, N. C.

Sunday, July 20, 1919

OPENING HYMN .....Choir  
SCRIPTURE READING .....Rev. R. Spiller, D.D.  
PRAYER .....Rev. W. C. Cleland, D.D.  
SINGING .....Choir  
SERMON .....Rev. E. M. Brawley, D.D.  
SOLO—"O Lord, Remember Me" .....Mrs. Nell Hunter  
REMARKS .....Dr. J. E. Shepard  
BENEDICTION



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**Her Friends**

and to

**Her Children:**

Margaret Louise, Charles Clinton, Jr., John Aaron  
and Booker Benjamin

who will be benefited by this

**Memory of Her Life**



## Funeral Sermon

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December 29, 1878—July 19, 1919

MRS. FANNIE SPAULDING, wife of Charles Clinton Spaulding, died at their home, 1006 Fayetteville Street, Durham, N. C., after an illness of several months. Mrs. Spaulding was a daughter of William and Margaret Jones, of Washington, D. C., where she was born, and a half-sister of the late John Merrick. She was an eighth-grade student of the "M" Street High School in Washington when she moved to Durham, and was graduated from the Whitted High School in Durham in 1898.

On September 26, 1900, she was happily married to C. C. Spaulding. Their home was a happy one, blessed with children, four of whom have survived their mother. Little Fannie Violet, the second daughter, died at seven months, in 1907; the remaining children are: Margaret Louise, Charles Clinton, Jr., John Aaron and Booker Benjamin.

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Thy heart. Be strong! Be strong!

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And hues from Heaven shall borrow  
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WHEN DEATH comes to end the earthly existence of a human being, the deceased becomes either a victim or a Beneficiary. The victim faces an empty future without promise of reward; the beneficiary inherits Immortal life, with joy and happiness and eternal peace. The improvident victim has spent his days And the fulness thereof in the empty pursuit of a commonplace earthly existence; the prudent beneficiary Has laid up treasures of endless days in Heaven, thru a life of Christian virtue and usefulness.

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 Had wafted its sweet scent to you just a short while  
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 When you gathered those leaves and threw them aside,  
 You'd remember the pleasure they wrought,  
 And the sadness at losing a flower so fair  
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 Our mothers, our wives, our young—  
 Will stand re-united in glorious love  
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