CREEN

Dir Annie Thurmond Dixon Creen, daughter of the late Haywood and Maggie Hollo-Diway Dixon, was born on Februsiary 12, 1912, in Durham. She departed this life October 23, at 2001, at Duke University Medical Center.

She was educated in the Duror ham Public Schools and was a au 1932 graduate of Hillside Park High School. She graduated from Fayetteville State Teachers College in 1937 and taught in Tarboro before decidming to embark on a career in armursing. Annie prepared for that career at the practical minursing department of the Dur-A ham Industrial Education Center, an affiliate of Duke University Medical Center. She restired from Malcolm Grow USAF Hospital at Andrews Air Force Base, Md., after a rewarding career as a pediatric

nurse.

In Annie gave her life to Christ

if at an early age and joined Mt.

Zion Baptist Church. Upon her

creturn to Durham in 1977, she

if resumed her membership

it there, now Mt. Zion Christian

if Church. She attended church

and Sunday school regularly until her health declined.

She was a member of the Fuesday Bible Study Class and ireasurer of the Better Homes and Garden Club. Although she never had children of her own, she was "mother" to many, especially her special great-great-niece. Leslie Camille Peacemaker and her special great-great-nephew Damien Lassiter.

Her beloved husband, Bill, preceded her in death. She

leaves to cherish her memory three nieces, Portia Harris, Mary "Kidd" Simmons (Leslie), and Jeanette Dixon, all of Durham; two nephews, Alpha "Sam" Whitted (Joan) of Harrisburg, Pa., and James "Jimmy" Dixon (Helen) of Durham; five great-nephews, Charles Lassiter Jr. of Durham, Earl Whitted (Martha) of Brooklyn, N.Y., and Steve Whitted, Eric Whitted, and Brent Whitted, all of Baltimore; four great-nieces, Linda Lassiter and Evelyn Wilkerson (Russell) of Durham and Rhonda Welch and Monica Baisey, both of Baltimore; one special cousin, Irma Jean Davis of Ft. Washington, Md.; two special friends, Alberta Harris of Durham and Ruby Holloway of Morningside, Md; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services are at 2:30 p.m. at Mt. Zion Christian Church on Sunday, and visitation will begin at 2:00 p.m. Sunday at Mt. Zion Christian Church.

Arrangements are by Holloway Funeral Home.

CREEN

Mrs. Annie Dixon Creen, of 2402 Fayetteville St., passed at Duke University Medical Center. Arrangements are being handled by Holloway Fuheral Home and are incomplete at this time.

Pallbearers

Deacon and Trustee Boards First Calvary Baptist Church

Active Floral Bearers

E.W. Walker Bible Class Missionary Groups Deaconess Board

Honorary Floral Bearers

Lyon Park Rose Garden Club
Lyon Park Wonderful Senior Citizens Club
Lyon Park Community Club
Lyon Park Senior Center

Acknowledgment

We deeply appreciate the many comforting expressions of sympathy extended to us during our bereavement. Your friendship and love are most sustaining and shall always be remembered.

The Family

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IN MEMORIAM



Mrs. Hallie P. Crews

First Calvary Baptist Church Durham, North Carolina

Thursday, February 13, 1986 1:00 P.M.

Rev. Lee Richardson, Officiating

Obituary

MRS. HALLIE PURYEAR CREWS, daughter of the late Press and Susie Puryear, was born August 4, 1884 in Virgilina, Virginia and departed this life, after being totally confined for four months because of illness, on Saturday, February 8th at Memorial Hospital in Chapel Hill, N.C.

Being reared in a Christian home, she sought to embrace the Christian faith and joined the St. Matthew Baptist Church in Virgilina at an early age.

She was married to Milton Crews, March 1912. With no children of their own, six children of her husband's sister were adopted and reared by them. Three survive.

Mrs. Crews moved to Wendell, N.C. and later to Fuquay Springs and to Durham, N.C. where she became a dedicated and dutiful member of the First Calvary Baptist Church for 35 years.

She served with the Senior Choir, Sunday School teacher and class member, Missionary Group as Group President, Deaconess and B.T.U. Teacher. She was dedicated to the community and worked with The Wonderful Senior Citizens Club as President; The Lyon Park Rose Garden Club, The Community Club and in all ways that were for the betterment of the community.

There plainly in view was a spirit of fellowship, and the joy she found in service to others. She was a delight to her friends, a joy to her family and a source of good will to the stranger.

Survivors: Daughters, Mrs. Gertrude Cureton and Mrs. Bessie Jones, Washington, D.C., Mrs. Irene Montague, Oxford, N.C.; nieces and nephews, Mrs. Celestine Cunningham, Mr. Walter Cozart, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Cozart, Mr. George Cozart, Durham, N.C. and other relatives and friends.

To be able to smile in the storm

To be watchful and careful and constant in prayer,

To be cautious to do no one harm.

To be useful and wanted, to live every day.

That whenever the bell tolls for you,

You'll be happy to say, though my end is at hand

I've done all the good I could do.

The Family

Order of Service

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN	
SCRIPTURE	Rev. W.J. Wilson
PRAYER	Rev. Edward Hoskins
SONG "Coming Up On The Rough Side Of Th	
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS	Mrs. M.W. Webb
REMARKS	Rev. Richard James
SOLO	Mr. Wallace Hinton For Me"
EULOGY	Rev. Lee Richardson
RECESSIONAL	

Interment
Glennview Memorial Park
Durham, North Carolina

Hattie M. Crews 11/30/03

DURHAM — Mrs. Hattie M. Crews, of Durham, went peacefully to her eternal rest on Fri-



day, November 25, 2005. She was a native of Granville County and began her teaching career in the Granville County School System. She retired from the

Durham City School System having taught at W.G. Pearson and George Watts Elementary Schools. Upon retirement she volunteered regularly at the Duke University Hospital Snack Shop and Lincoln Community Health Center.

She was a member of the West Durham Baptist Church. She participated actively in the Senior Choir, Sunday School, Deaconess Board and Missionary Society as long as her health permitted.

Survivors include a daughter, Gale Crews, of Durham; a brother, Jordan Moore, of Baltimore, Md.; an aunt, Pearl Moore Curtis, of Durham, and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held at the West Durham Baptist Church, 1901 Athens Street, Durham, on Thursday, December 1, 2005, at 1 p.m. Family visitation will be held from 12 to 1 p.m.

A special thanks is extended to the staff of the Brian Center of Durham.

Services are entrusted to Scarborough and Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.

Durham Herald-Sun p. C2 8/6/99

CRISP

WILLIAMSBURG, KY — Norma June Crisp, 62, of 52 Crisp Court, Williamsburg, KY (formerly of Lenoir, NC) passed away Tuesday, August 3, 1999 at her home.

She is survived by her husband James Crisp of Williamsburg, KY; parents, Ronda & Virginia Lambert of Lenoir, NC.; 1 daughter, Constance Crisp of Savannah, GA; 1 son, Charles Crisp of Williamsburg, KY; 1 granddaughter, Clara Payne of Savannah, GA.; 1 sister, Ronnie Cannon of Granite Falls, NC.; 1 brother, Alan Lambert of North Carolina; a niece, Cindy Green of North Carolina; a nephew, Ricky of North Carolina; and a host of other relatives and friends who mourn her passing.

She has been the Educational Director at the First Baptist Church in Durham for 4 years.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, August 7, 1999 at 2 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Williamsburg, KY. conducted by Dr. Harold Mauney. Interment will be in Western Carolina State Veterans Cemetery, 1270 Old U.S. Highway 70 West, Black Mountain, NC.

Visitation will be Friday from 6 to 9 p.m. at Ellison Funeral Home, 512 Main St., Williamsburg, KY.

PALL BEARERS

ANTHONY CRISS BARRY JACKSON HERBERT W CRISS JR BRIAN JACKSON

PHILIP MCFADDEN WITHRO H WIGGINS JR

FLORAL BEARES

FRIENDS OF THE FAMILY



In Appreciation the family of the late
Cynthia D Criss
Wish to express their sincere appreciation for all comfort extended to them during this time of their bereavement.

Special thanks to
Elizabeth K. Goacher, PA-C of Duke University
Medical Center and the Staff of Duke Community
Hospice Services and Scarborough and Hargett
funeral home.



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HOMEGOING SERVICE FOR CYNTHIA DELORES CRISS "TOOTSIE"

SUNRISE 9-27-1950

SUNSET 6-26-2006



FRIDAY, JUNE 30, 2006
1:00 PM
EMMANUEL AME CHURCH
2810 RIDDLE ROAD
DURHAM NC 27713
REV. SHELTON T MILES SR. OFFICIATING

Order of Service

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Acknowledgements and Obituary

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The Obituary

Cynthia Delores Criss was born September 27, 1950, in Durham NC. She was lead by angels to her eternal home on June 26, 2006; She was one of five Children born to Cora Bell Marsh Criss and the late Hubbard Criss. She received her formal education in the Durham Public Schools, graduating from Hillside High School and also attending Business College. Desiring a change in her life she migrated to New York and lived in Far Rockaway for a short period. During this time she attended Greater Refuge Temple where she was baptized in Jesus name and received the gift of the Holy Ghost.

Longing for family and friends she returned to Durham and continued working until her health failed. Tootsie adored her son and grandson, loved life, loved family and friends and "truly" loved the Lord. She continued her to worship of the Lord and fellowship at Emmanuel AME Church in Durham.

She leaves to cherish her memory, her mother Ms Cora Bell Marsh Criss, a son Alteric Criss (Dwahza), two grandsons Dezmon and Derrick of Durham NC, two sister, Sandra Criss Wiggins (Withro) Fayetteville, New York, Debra Criss McFadden (Kenneth) of Durham, Two prothers Herbert Wayne Criss (Carolyn) of Durham, (the ate Mary Davis Criss) and Elder Samuel L. Criss (Sheila) of Poughquag, New York, an aunt Betty Marsh McGowan of Tulsa, Oklahoma an uncle Ostella Criss Dorothy) of Durham, loving nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

As a Daughter – Tootsie took precious care of her mother for years, cooking great meals, running errands, making sure her mother had what she needed and what she wanted. The one with the green thumb, she loved to garden.

As a Sister – The endless hours of laughter-secret talk with sisters, guidance and protection that only brothers can provide. A spiritual person who loved the Lord and read her scripture daily she was deep in thought and if she couldn't express it she could find the perfect greeting card that would. Our beautiful sister with the "dimples" she was our strength.

As a Mother – she spoke with Al daily, "You take care of yourself, Dwahza and the boys and be safe out there", speaking as only a loving and proud mother could.

As a Grandmother – There was great joy when her first grandchild was born. Dezmon loved his grandmother. She always had encouraging words of wisdom for Dezmon and Derrick.

As an Aunt she would provide moral support for her nieces and nephews. She could be heard to say "Don't' take no wooden nickels" and do something with your life because..."there is nothing out there in the streets."

We will miss her dimpled smile, her love her laughter, her kindness and her words of wisdom. 6/29/06

Cynthia "Tootsie" Criss

DURHAM — Cynthia "Tootsie" Criss, 55, the daughter of



Cora Bell
Marsh Criss
and the late
Hubbard Criss
died at the Hospice Inpatient
Facility Meadowlands in
Hillsborough,
on Monday,

June 26, 2006. She was a graduate of Hillside High School, attended Business College and held several positions in that field.

She is survived by her son, Alteric Criss (Dwahza); two grandsons, Dezmon and Derrick, of Durham: two sisters, Sandra

Criss Wiggins (Withro), of Fayetteville, N.Y., and Debra Criss McFadden (Kenneth), of Durham; two brothers, Herbert Wayne Criss (Carolyn), of Durham, and Elder Samuel L. Criss (Shelia), of Poughquaq, N.Y.; an aunt, Betty Marsh McGowan, of Tulsa, Okla.; an uncle, Ostella Criss (Dorothy), of Durham, loving nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Viewing will be held at 12 p.m. and funeral services will follow on Friday, June 30, 2006, at 1 p.m. at Emmanuel AME Church, 2810 Riddle Rd., Durham, NC 27713.

Arrangements provided by Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapels and Gardens.