

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS:

LATHROP ALSTON
GODFREY HERNDON
EVER LEE JONES
JOHN BAILEY

GEORGE SATTERFIELD
FELTON HERNDON
TOMMIE LEE WILLIAMS
OBIDIAH BARBEE

HONORARY PALLBEARERS:

LAYMEN — ASBURY TEMPLE METHODIST CHURCH

FLORAL BEARERS:

MRS. THELMA BASS MRS. BERNICE INGRAM
MRS. LUCILLE HANCOCK MRS. LOUISE MCCREA
MRS. LUCINDA HARRIS MRS. CYNTHIA SMITH

MRS. MABEL WATSON

WOMAN'S SOCIETY — ASBURY TEMPLE METHODIST CHURCH

WINSTON-SALEM TEACHERS' COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION,
DURHAM, N. C.

HONORARY FLORAL BEARERS:

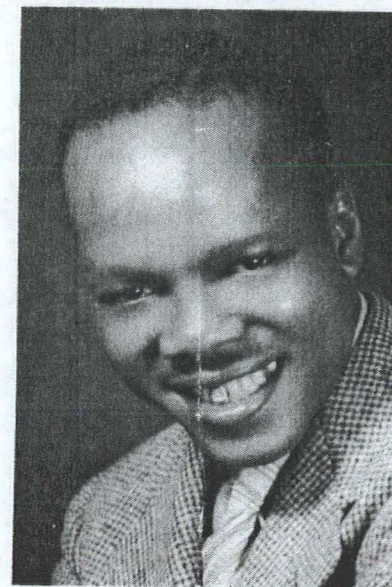
STEWARDESS BOARDS — SAINT JOSEPH'S A. M. E. CHURCH

ARRANGEMENTS
BY
SCARBOROUGH AND HARGETT
FUNERAL DIRECTORS
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

SERVICE PRINTING COMPANY — DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

Kelly Bryant Collection

In Memoriam



MR. HUBERT FREDRICK MARSHALL CURTIS

Saint Joseph's A. M. E. Church

FAYETTEVILLE STREET
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

FRIDAY, JULY 5, 1963 --:-- 4:00 P. M.

REVEREND C. E. TYSON, PASTOR, ASBURY TEMPLE METHODIST
CHURCH, MINISTER IN CHARGE

O B I T U A R Y

MR. HUBERT FREDRICK MARSHALL CURTIS, son of the late William and Sudie Jones Curtis, passed Thursday, June 27, in Cleveland, Ohio.

He was born in Durham and attended the City Schools and at an early age joined Saint Joseph's A.M.E. Church with his mother and father. He was a faithful member until he left Durham to make his home in Cleveland, and whenever he visited Durham he always worshiped at Saint Joseph's Church. He was married to Mary Pauline Sharpe in June 1958 and was a loving and faithful husband until his death.

Mr. Curtis is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Pauline S. Curtis; three sisters, Mrs. Iva Parrish, New York City; Mrs. Lossie Coleman and Miss Reida B. Curtis, of Durham, North Carolina; three brothers, Leonidas Curtis, Detroit, Michigan; James H. Curtis, New York City and Lloyd Curtis, Cleveland, Ohio; three sisters-in-law, Mrs. Kittyola D. Curtis, Mrs. Mildred Curtis and Mrs. Gladys Curtis; six nieces, six nephews and other relatives and friends.

*Sunset and Evening Star,
And one clear call for me,
And may there be no moaning of the bar,
When I put out to sea.*

*But such a tide as moving seems asleep,
Too full for sound and foam,
When that which drew from out the boundless deep
Turns again home.*

*Twilight and Evening Bell,
And after that the dark!
And may there be no sadness of farewell,
When I embark.*

*For tho' from out our bourne of time and place
The flood may bear me far,
I hope to see my pilot face to face
When I have cross the bar.*

ORDER OF SERVICE

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN—"Lead Kindly Light"

PRAYER—"Lord's Prayer"—CHANT

SCRIPTURE THE REVEREND C. E. MCLESTER

HYMN—"There Is A Land Of Pure Delight"

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS MR. NOAH H. BENNETT

EULOGY—"Dangers In Living" THE REVEREND C. E. TYSON

PASTORAL PRAYER

RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT — BEECHWOOD CEMETERY

Kelly Bryant Collection

Carolina Times

P. 6 12/19/92

JOHN HAYWOOD CURTIS

Funeral services for John Haywood "Mack" Curtis were held Friday, December 11, at Scarborough Memorial Chapel. Rev. Linda Russell, associate minister of St. Mark AME Zion Church, officiated. Burial was in Beechwood Cemetery. He died Monday, December 7,

He was born July 19, 1923 in Durham, a son of the late John Lawrence Curtis and Mrs. Kitty Ola Dugger Curtis. He attended Durham City schools and was a 1941 graduate of Hillside High School. He served in the United States Air Force during World War II.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Wanda Curtis Larkins of Detroit, Mich; a son, Lynn Haywood Curtis of Wilmington, Del; two grandsons, Shaw Larkins and David McGee of Detroit; four sisters, Mrs. Marion C. Garrison of Philadelphia, Pa., Mrs. Doris Jean Trice of Philadelphia, Pa., Mrs. Margaret C. Bumpers and Mrs. Omega Curtis Parker, both of Durham; a brother, William Gilbert Curtis of Philadelphia; several nieces and nephews.

Courtesy of Scarborough & Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.

Kelly Bryant Collection

In Memoriam



MR. JOHN LAWRENCE CURTIS

Sunday, November 6, 1960

1:00 P. M.

Saint Mark A. M. E. Zion Church

Durham, North Carolina

THE OBITUARY

MR. JOHN LAWRENCE CURTIS the son of the late William and Sudie Curtis, was born in Durham, North Carolina in 1891.

He attended the Durham City Schools and the Franklin Christian College in Franklinton, North Carolina.

In 1917 he was married to Kittyola Dugger of Durham, North Carolina and to this union eight children were born.

Mr. Curtis was an active member of the Saint Mark A.M.E. Zion Church, holding offices as Class Leader, member of the Trustee Board, and a Sunday School Teacher for a number of years.

He remained faithful as a member to his church, until his health failed.

Mr. Curtis was employed at the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company for a number of years.

He departed this life Thursday, November 3, 1960 at Lincoln Hospital.

Mr. Curtis is survived by his wife, Mrs. Kittyola D. Curtis; four daughters, Mrs. Marion C. Garrison, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Mrs. Jean C. Trice, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Mrs. Margaret Bumpers and Mrs. Omega C. Parker of Durham, North Carolina; four sons, Lawrence D. Curtis, New York City, William Gilbert Curtis, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, John H. and Cornelius B. Curtis of Durham, North Carolina; three sisters, Mrs. Iva Parrish, New York City, Mrs. Lossie Coleman, and Miss Reida B. Curtis of Durham, North Carolina; four brothers, Leonidas Curtis, Detroit, Michigan, James H. Curtis, New York City, Hubert and Lloyd Curtis, Cleveland, Ohio; thirteen grandchildren.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

PROCESSIONAL

INVOCATION

HYMN: NO. 561—"On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand"

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Old Testament—27th Psalm..... Reverend M. C. Swann
Pastor, Saint Joseph's A.M.E. Church

New Testament—St. John 14:1-14

HYMN. NO. 569—"Lead Kindly Light"

PRAYER FOR THE BEREAVED

PRAYER RESPONSE

SOLO

Mrs. ELLA HAYES

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS..... Mrs. Odessa B. Alexander

REMARKS..... Mr. T. J. Atwater

EULOGY..... Reverend R. L. Speaks

RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT — BEECHWOOD CEMETERY

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS:

Trustees of Saint Mark A.M.E. Zion Church

Mr. W. R. Parker

Mr. R. L. Frazier

Mr. Guy Mazyck

Mr. John H. McNeil, Sr.

Mr. Fred Cuttino

Mr. Theodore Blount

Mr. B. T. McMillon

Mr. C. C. Burtney

Mr. T. J. Atwater

HONORARY PALLBEARERS:

The Board of Class Leaders

FLORAL BEARERS:

Women of Saint Mark Stewardess Board Number Three and
Gleaners Class

A COMRADE RIDES AHEAD

(EMERSON HOUGH)

Time brings us change and leaves us fretting,

We weep when every comrade goes—

Perhap too much, perhaps forgetting

That ever yonder there are those

To whom he comes and whom he knows.

I would hold our loss too lightly;

God knows, and he, how deep the pain;

But friends, I see still shinning brightly

The brightest link in all our chain

That links us to a new domain.

Whatever values we yet may wander,

What sorrow, what tempest blow,

We have a friend out yonder

To greet us when we have to go—

Out yonder someone that we know.

ARRANGEMENTS

BY

SCARBOROUGH & HARGETT

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

*The Service of Worship
Upon
The Death of*



MISS REIDA BEATRICE CURTIS

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

**Wednesday, August 4, 1976
2:00 P.M.**

LORENZO A. LYNCH, Pastor, Officiating

OBITUARY

MISS REIDA BEATRICE CURTIS, daughter of the late William and Sudie Jones Curtis, passed Saturday, July 31, 1976.

She was born in Durham, North Carolina and attended the city schools. She graduated from National Training School which is now North Carolina Central University. She worked with the Royal Knights of King David for a number of years. Her next position was with the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, where she worked until she retired.

At an early age she joined the White Rock Baptist Church, where she was a faithful member until her health failed. She was faithful in her attendance and contributions. She had a pleasing personality.

Survivors include: one sister, Mrs. Lossie C. Coleman, Durham, North Carolina; one half-brother, Mr. James H. Curtis, New York City; five nephews, six nieces, and other relatives and friends.

*Sunset and Evening Star,
And one clear call or me,
And may there be no moaning of the bar,
When I put out to sea.*

*But such a tide as moving seems asleep,
Too full for sound and foam,
When that which drew from out the boundless deep
Turns again home.*

*Twilight and Evening Bell,
And after that the dark!
And may there be no sadness of farewell,
When I embark.*

*For tho' from out our bourne of time and place
The flood may bear me far,
I hope to see my pilot face to face
When I have crossed the bar.*

THE ORDER OF SERVICE

ORGAN PRELUDE.....MRS. L. LAVINIA PARKER

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN — #244 — “My Faith Looks Up To Thee” —
THE CHOIR AND CONGREGATION

INVOCATION.....THE REVEREND LAWRENCE A. MILLER
Minister, Saint Mark A.M.E. Zion Church

SCRIPTURE 517.....MR. JOHN LENNON AND CONGREGATION
*Teacher, White Rock Pals' Class,
NCCU Dean of Men, White Rock Trustee,
Member, Durham City Board of Education*

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.....MR. W. J. KENNEDY, JR.
*Chairman, Greater White Rock Committee,
Trustee, and Former N. C. Mutual President*

HYMN — #251 — “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” —
THE CHOIR AND CONGREGATION

EULOGY.....LORENZO A. LYNCH

RECESSIONAL

ORGAN POSTLUDE.....MRS. PARKER

Burial

Beechwood Cemetery
Durham North Carolina

DRIVERS IN THE PROCESSION, PLEASE TURN ON HEADLIGHTS FOR SAFETY

PALLBEARERS

Mr. Eldridge Coleman, Jr.	Mr. John Curtis
Mr. Eldridge Coleman, III	Mr. Patrick Coleman
Mr. William Bumpass	Mr. Cornelius Curtis

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

White Rock Baptist Church Ushers and Deacons
North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company
Officers and Staff

FLORAL BEARERS

White Rock Baptist Church PALS' Sunday School Class
White Rock Baptist Church District Number 7
Stewardess Board Number One, Saint Joseph's A. M. E. Church
North Carolina Mutual's Co-Workers

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

*The FAMILY sincerely appreciates the many kind acts and deeds
shown during the illness and since the passing of our loved one.*

*Arrangements
by
Scarborough and Hargett Memorial Chapels and Gardens
Funeral Directors
306 South Roxboro Street
Durham, North Carolina*

Service Printing Company — Durham, N. C.

12/22/2001



MRS. RUTH PARKER CUSTIS

Final rites for Mrs. Ruth Parker Custis were held Sunday, December 16, at Gethsemane Baptist Church. Rev. Junious Jones of Haw River Baptist Church, Pittsboro, was eulogist. Interment was in Glennview Memorial Park. She died Wednesday, December 12.

She was born August 28, 1928 in Bahama, a daughter of the late Ross and Mrs. Lizzie Parker. She attended Durham public schools.

For over fifty years, she was a member of Gethsemane Baptist Church, Choir No. 3, and the Glory Bound Chorus. A Sunday School Room at Gethsemane is named in her honor.

She was married to the late Charles Custis.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Ruby Parker McClain of Durham; seven nieces; four nephews; and an aunt, Mrs. Gladys Moore of Louisburg.

Courtesy of Scarborough & Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.



In Loving Memory
of
Mr. Sedrick Delanor Cuthbertson
(July 12, 1920 - February 5, 1997)



Sunday, February 9, 1997
2:00 P.M.

St. Joseph's African Methodist Episcopal Church
2521 Fayetteville Street
Durham, North Carolina 27707

The Reverend Philip R. Cousin, Jr., Pastor
Officiating Minister



~ The Obituary ~

Mr. Sedrick Delanor Cuthbertson of 909 Dayton Street died Wednesday, February 5, 1997, at Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC.

Mr. Cuthbertson was born in Nebo, North Carolina to the late Samuel and Harriett Cuthbertson on July 12, 1920. He received his early education in Marion, North Carolina and graduated from high school in Tuscaloosa, AL. He graduated in 1949 from Wilberforce University in Xenia, OH. He served in the United States Army for four years. Sedrick was active in real estate. He retired as Manager of the Neighborhood Improvement Program.

Mr. Cuthbertson was an active, supportive member of St. Joseph's A. M. E. Church. He was a devoted member of the Berean Bible Class and also served as a Steward and a Class Leader for many years.

He was a devoted member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. since March 20, 1948 being active in Durham's Delta Zeta Sigma Chapter. He was also a member of Weaver McLean American Legion Post No. 175.

Sedrick was a kind, easy-going and caring person to everyone. He always loved the Lord and exemplified his love for the Lord in his interactions with others. He was very supportive in helping others.

He is survived by his loving, caring wife, Mrs. Edna B. Cuthbertson, two Sisters, Mrs. Luna J. Drumwright of Roxboro, NC and Mrs. Lillian Thombs of Glen Alpine, NC; one Brother, Mr. Samuel E. Cuthbertson of Shelby, NC; two Nieces, Mrs. Betty Parham of Roxboro, NC and Mrs. Betty Lou Fleming of Columbus, OH; two Nephews, Mr. José Solis of Vacaville, CA and Mr. Robert Thomas of Antioch, CA and a special great-Nephew, Sedrick A. Ransom of Bahama, NC. He also leaves to cherish his memory, two Godsons, Mr. Ronix Owens and Mr. Randal Rogers, both of Durham, NC; one Goddaughter, Mrs. Jean Evans of Durham, NC and a host of other loving relatives and friends.



~ A Loving Tribute To Sedrick D. Cuthbertson ~

Sincere at heart

Easy-going with everyone everyday

Devoted and down to earth

Receptive, respectful to everyone

Interested in others welfare

Caring, cheerful, considerate, never complaining

Kind-hearted and loving to all.

by Reverdy C. Ransom, IV



Kindness comes in many ways

As we live our lives each day

A life that touched so many others

*Will always be remembered as a friend
and brother*

*God listens to our hearts and he is
always there to give us peace*

within our souls because we know

He cares.

The Family

~ The Order of Service ~

PRELUDE Mr. Fred Mason, Jr., Musician
"Jesu, Joy Of Man's Desiring"

PROCESSIONAL Musical Interlude

HYMN ~~450~~ 492 The Senior Choir

PRAYER Appointee

SCRIPTURE Appointee
Old Testament Lesson
New Testament Lesson

HYMN 488 The Senior Choir

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS AND RESOLUTIONS Mr. Paul Williams

HYMN 450 The Senior Choir

EULOGY The Reverend Philip R. Cousin, Jr., Pastor

MORTICIAN'S BRIEF The Funeral Director

RECESSIONAL Musical Interlude

POSTLUDE Mr. Fred Mason, Jr., Musician

~ Interment ~

Glennview Memorial Park
2515 Apex Highway
Durham, North Carolina 27707

Drivers In The Procession, Please Turn On Your Bright Headlights And Flashers For Safety.

~ Pallbearers ~

Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.

~ Honorary Pallbearers ~

St. Joseph's A. M. E. Church Stewards

St. Joseph's A. M. E. Church Class Leaders

The Berean Sunday School Class

Members of Weaver McLean American Legion Post No. 175 and Auxiliary

~ Floral Bearers ~

St. Joseph's A. M. E. Church Stewardesses and Missionaries

The Ladies Aid Society



~ Acknowledgment ~

The family and friends of Sedrick D. Cuthbertson acknowledge and greatly appreciate the many prayers, visits, telegrams, cards, flowers and other acts of kindness extended to them during the illness and passing of their loved one.

May God continue to richly bless each of you in a very special way.



~ Professional Services Entrusted To ~

*Scarborough and Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.
Memorial Chapels and Gardens*



*306 South Roxboro Street • Durham, North Carolina 27701
Phone: (919) 682-1171 • Fax: (919) 683-1548*

Programme By

EAGLESON DESKTOP PUBLISHING®
804 Park Ridge Road, Apt. A10
Durham, North Carolina 27713
(919) 419-3198