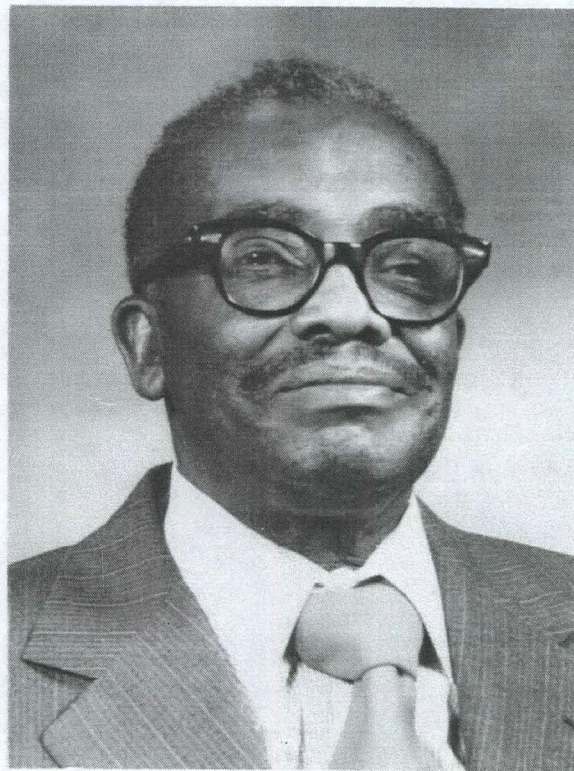




Panegyrical Services

For

Samuel Emanuel Hemby



Saturday, November 4, 1989
11:00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mount Calvary F W B Church

Greenville, North Carolina

Elder Jackson, Jr.

Pastor, Officiating

Panegyric Service

The Prelude The Organist

The Processional The Family

The Hymn of Service (combined church choirs) "On Christ The Solid Rock"

The Old Testament - Psalms 90:1-12 Dr. Marvin Barrett

New Testament - II Timothy 4:6-8 Dr. Ray Robinson

The Prayer of Consolation Dr. Charles Mosley

The Hymn of Consolation "Bound For The Promised Land"

Tributes: (1½ minutes)

The Church Sister Patsy Smith

Northeast Conference B Bishop C.C. Thomas

The Community Mr. William Crandol

Fraternal Friend Mr. John Hill

District Master GUOOF of North Carolina Brother John Slight

The Obituary (soft music) Read Silently

The Solo Mrs. Lillian D. Bradley
"No Night There"

The Eulogy Elder Elmer Jackson, Jr.

The Hymn of Triumph

Recessional

Interment Brown Hill Cemetery
Greenville, N.C.

Obituary

*So live that when thy summons come to join
The innumerable caravan that moves
To that mysterious realm, where each shall take
His chamber in the silent halls of death,
Thou go not, like the quarry-slave at night,
Scourged to his dungeon, but, sustained and soothed
By an unfaltering trust, approach thy grave
Like one who wraps the drapery of his couch about him,
And lies down to pleasant dreams.*

— William Cullen Bryant

Samuel Emanuel Hemby lived a life committed to service to mankind and his deeds will live on in the social order where he lived, moved and had his being.

Born to the late Reverend Samuel Hemby, Jr. and the late Mrs. Mamie Foreman Hemby, the earthly journey of this servant of humanity, ended Sunday, October 29, 1989 at the Pitt County Memorial Hospital, Greenville, North Carolina.

The great men of this world are the ones who have served the greatest number of people. What the deceased has done for others remains and is immortal.

Early preparation was made for his life service at Eppes High School, Greenville, NC, Elizabeth City State University from which he received his B.S. and from North Carolina Central University, Durham, NC a Masters Degree. A thirst for knowledge led him to Boston University, and East Carolina University for further study. He became an instructor in the public schools of Pitt County. Here he molded the minds of the boys and girls, whose lives were made richer and happier because of his teaching concerns. Today, both students and parents gladly attest to this fact.

Like Timothy, he was taught the good life by his parents and at a very young age, he became a member of the Mt. Calvary FWB Church. Here he became a regular Sunday School attendant, Financial Secretary, Church clerk, Trustee and Deacon, Organizer of the Rosebud Usher Board, a founder of the Ruth Hill Gospel Chorus, keeper of records and church historian.

He was united in holy wedlock to the former Miss Reather Tucker and the radiant warmth of their home was shared with family and friends.

State and National affiliations include: NEA, NCAE, Eva J. Lewis Alumni Association of ECSU of Pitt County, The General Alumni Association of Elizabeth City State University, Pitt County Council on the Aging, NAACP, Pitt County Retired Teachers Association, and District 15 Retired Teachers Association of Eastern North Carolina. Fraternally he was: Past Worship Master of the Mt. Hermon Masonic Lodge #35, Roanoke Consistory #248, Anderson Lodge of Oddfellows #11972, Past secretary Masonic District #10, Worthy Patron of Ladies of Ladies Delight #10 OES PHA, member of Administrative Council District 6 OES PHA, and district Recorder of GUOOF of North Carolina.

Nothing material lasts forever, but each thing in its given time must pass into the great beyond, only remembered by what has been done.

The beautiful memories of his life will be forever cherished by: his wife, Mrs. Reather T. Hemby of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Queenie H. Boyd of New York City, Ms. Dorothy Hemby of Irvington, New Jersey; three brothers, Messrs. Luke and Simeon Hemby of Greenville, NC, Paul C. Hemby of New York City; three sisters, Miss Velma Hemby, Mrs. Mary Evaris of Greenville, NC, and Mrs. Ruth Hargrove of Rocky Mount, NC; six grandchildren, five great grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

*"I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one.
I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when life is done.
I'd like to leave an echo whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times and laughing times of bright and sunny days.
I'd like the tears of those who grieve to dry before the sun,
Of happy memories that I leave when life is done."*

—The Family

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Lester Barrett, James Barrett, Ernest H. Eaton

Active Pall Bearers

Mount Hermon Masonic Lodge #35

Honorary Floral Bearers

Mothers Board of Mount Calvary FWB Church

Active Floral Bearers

Mount Calvary Ushers Board
Ladies Delight #10 OES, Pride of the East #524 OES

Acknowledgement

The members of the family of Samuel E. Hemby are deeply grateful to their many friends, who by their presence, cards, telegrams and loving care shared with them in the "homegoing" of a great spirit.

*"Life race well run,
Life's work well done,
Life's crown well won,
Rest in peace"*



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Interment

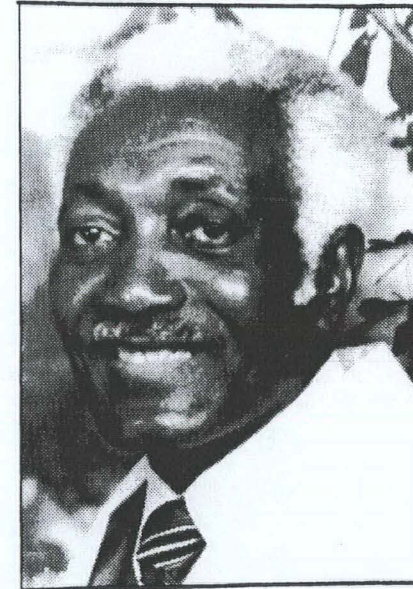
Beechwood Cemetery

Acknowledgment

The Family wishes to thank the many people for their kindness shown during the illness and passing of their loved one.

*A Celebration of the Homegoing
of*

Calvin Eugene Hemingway



September 3, 1918 - August 23, 1994

August 27, 1994 - 1:30 p.m.

St. Joseph's AME Church
2125 Fayetteville Street
Durham, North Carolina 27707

The Reverend Philip R. Cousin, Jr., Pastor

The Obituary

Calvin Eugene Hemingway son of the late Samuel H. and Rosa Gore Hemingway, was born in Brunswick County, North Carolina on September 3, 1918, and departed this life on August 23, 1994.

Calvin received his education in the Columbus County Public Schools in North Carolina. He was a veteran of World War II, and was a career United States Merchant Marine for more than forty years.

In 1958, he received his Electrical Engineer's License from Coyne Electrical School, Chicago, Illinois. He also received his Second and Chief Engineer's License of steam vessels of any horsepower in the United States Merchant Marine School Seaman's Church Institute of New York, New York. He served as chief engineer for American Export Isbrandtsen Lines, Farrell Lines, United States Marine Lines and many others during his career with the United States Merchant Marines Calvin sailed in various job capacities and traveled to Africa, Central and South America, Australia, Europe, Asia and many Islands. He was a member of the Brotherhood of Marine Officers.

Calvin was a faithful member of the St. Joseph's A.M.E. Church where he was a member of the Berean Sunday School Class and served on the Steward Board.

After Calvin's retirement in 1981 he was engaged in various civic organizations and activities. Calvin was a dedicated volunteer for the American Red Cross for seven years. During this time he worked with disaster relief projects and helped transport patients to various places. For this dedicated work he received a Certificate of Appreciation from the American Red Cross. He also received the Valuable Service Award from the Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People in 1990. He served as Chairperson of Precinct 34 in Durham County, N.C. and was a life member of the NAACP and the James E Shepard Sertoma Club. He joyously supported and participated in the Crop Walk, sponsored by the Church World Service and was a member of the Shepard Early Morning Walkers.

Calvin leaves to cherish his memories a wife, Catherine Boswell Hemingway; four sisters, Mrs. Emma Hemingway Smith of Leland, N.C., Mrs Hattie Hemingway Jefferson, Mrs. Theresa Hemingway Reese and Ms. Dorothy Hemingway of New York, New York; and one sister-in-law, Rev. Frances Springer and one brother-in-law, Bishop James E. Springer of Durham, N.C.; several nieces and nephews and a host of relatives and friends.

He loved life and enjoyed it to the fullest. He was cheerful and shared his talents and skills with many who called him or needed his help. He was devoted to his family and loved people.

Order of Worship
Rev. Philip R. Cousin, Jr. , Officiating

Prelude.....	Mr. Fred Mason, Organist
	O Man, Bewail Thy Grievous Fall
Processional	J. S. Bach
	Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring
Greetings.....	Rev. Philip R. Cousin, Jr.
Hymn.....	Choir
	What A Friend We Have In Jesus
Prayer.....	Rev. John Burton, Pastor
	St. Paul AME Church, Chapel Hill, N.C.
Old Testament.....	Rev. James Hodges
	Psalms 27:1-5,13,14
New Testament.....	Rev. Barrington Ross
	John 14:1-7
Hymn.....	Choir
	Blessed Assurance
Note of Thanks.....	Dr. Richard J. Jefferson, Nephew
Tributes.....	Mr. Marshall Stanton, Cousin
	Mr. Carl Hodges, President
Resolutions.....	Mr. Paul Williams
Musical Tribute	The Family
Eulogy.....	Rev. Philip R. Cousin, Jr.
Hymn.....	Choir
	Precious Lord, Take My Hand
Recessional.....	
	Because He Lives

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At Funeral Home

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Baptist Church
Visitation - 11am til 12 noon Sat.
At Church

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At Funeral Home

MS. BARBARA COX

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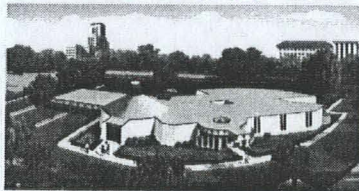
The family gratefully acknowledges and deeply appreciates the many acts of love, kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to them during their time of bereavement. It has been of great comfort to know that you too cared and shared.

May God continue to strengthen and richly bless each of you.

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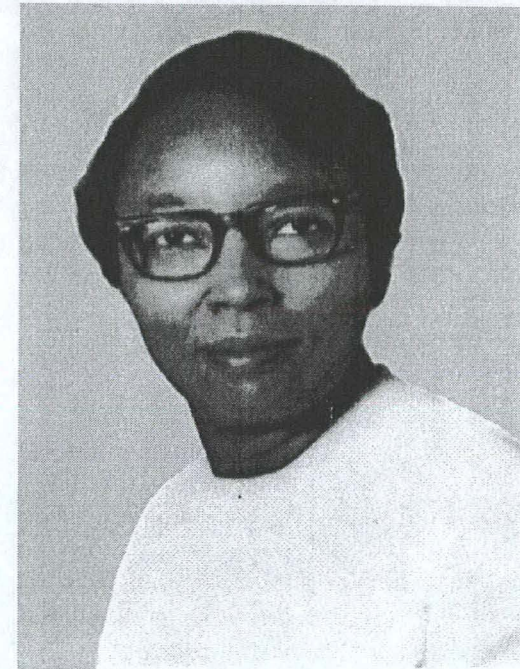
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In Loving Memory
of

MRS. EVA McLAUGHLIN HENDERSON

~ Sunrise ~
November 18, 1915

~ Sunset ~
December 31, 1999



Saturday, January 8, 2000
1:00 P.M.

St. Joseph's A. M. E. Church
2521 Fayetteville Street
Durham, North Carolina 27707

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

~ The Obituary ~

Mrs. Eva McLaughlin Henderson departed this life on Friday, December 31, 1999 at Duke University Medical Center. She was born November 18, 1915 in Dillon, South Carolina, the daughter of the late Edward W. and Ella McBride McLaughlin. She was married to the late Johnny Henderson.

She graduated from Hillside High School and received her B. S. degree and Masters degree from North Carolina Central University. Mrs. Henderson was among North Carolina Central University's pioneer women athletes. She was inducted into the North Carolina Central University Athletic Hall of Fame in 1988. She taught Business Education at Nash Central High School, Nashville, North Carolina where she took charge of all girl's athletic activities. When Nash County Schools were integrated, she was transferred to Northern Nash Senior High School where she retired after thirty-nine years of teaching.

Mrs. Henderson was a member of St. Joseph's A.M.E. Church for over fifty years and was a member of Stewardess Board No. 1 and the Caroline Bond Unit of the Minnie S. Pearson Women's Missionary Society, a long standing member of the Wednesday Night Bible Study, and the Lay Organization. She was a member of the Drucilla Chapter No. 19, Order of Eastern Star, PHA and the Benevolent Neighbors Club.

She leaves to cherish her memories a loving and devoted sister, Ruth McLaughlin Meyers; a devoted brother-in-law, the Reverend Cleveland Meyers; a devoted brother, John Wesley McLaughlin; a devoted sister-in-law, Vivian McLaughlin; four nieces; three nephews; one cousin, Jessie McKoy of Dunn, North Carolina; three sisters-in-law; devoted caretakers, Carolyn Smith and Cynthia Jordan and other loving relatives and dear 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.*

The Family

~ The Order of Service ~

PRELUDE	<i>The Musician</i>
PROCESSIONAL	<i>Musical Interlude</i>
HYMN NO. 68	<i>The Choir</i> <i>"How Great Thou Art"</i>
PRAYER	<i>Appointee</i>
SCRIPTURES	<i>Appointee</i> <i>Old Testament</i> <i>New Testament</i>
HYMN NO. 336	<i>The Choir</i> <i>"Thou Thinkest Lord Of Me"</i>
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS AND RESOLUTIONS	<i>Mr. Paul Williams</i>
OBITUARY	<i>Please Read Silently</i>
HYMN NO. 450	<i>The Choir</i> <i>"Blessed Assurance"</i>
EULOGY	<i>The Reverend Philip R. Cousin, Jr.</i>
MORTICIAN'S BRIEF	<i>The Funeral Director</i>
RECESSIONAL	<i>Musical Interlude</i>
POSTLUDE	<i>The Musician</i>

~ Interment ~

*Beechwood Cemetery
3300 Fayetteville Street
Durham, North Carolina 27707*

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

HENDERSON

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Jessie McKoy, of Dunn, three sisters-in-law, devoted caretakers, Carolyn Smith and Cynthia Jordan, and other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held 1 p.m. Saturday, January 8, 2000 at St. Joseph's AME Church. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the service. Arrangements by Scarborough & Hargett Funeral Home.

*A Service of Thanksgiving
and
Celebration for the Life
of
J. J. "BABE" HENDERSON, SR.
January 22, 1908 - February 23, 1998*



Sunday, March 1, 1998
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 Order of Service ~

PRELUDE Mr. Fred Mason, Jr. Organist

PROCESSIONAL Musical Interlude

HYMN The Senior Choir
"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

PRAYER Appointee

SCRIPTURE Appointee
Old Testament
New Testament

HYMN The Senior Choir
"How Great Thou Art"

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS, RESOLUTIONS
AND EXPRESSIONS Mr. Paul Williams

OBITUARY Please Read Silently

HYMN The Senior Choir
"It Is Well With My Soul"

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

KAPPA ALPHA PSI HYMN Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.

MORTICIAN'S BRIEF The Funeral Director

RECESSIONAL Musical Interlude

POSTLUDE Mr. Fred Mason, Jr.

~ Private Interment ~

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

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

~ The Obituary ~

James J. "Babe" Henderson, Sr. was born in Bristol, Tennessee to Sallie Ann and William T. Henderson, on January 22, 1908. He was the eldest of eight children born of this union. After attending Slater High School in Bristol and completing high school at Hampton Institute Academy, Hampton, Virginia, he received the Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration from Hampton Institute. After receiving his B. S. degree, he moved immediately to Durham, North Carolina in 1932, where he met and married Julia M. Hicks in 1937. Of this union, two children were born. Mr. Henderson remained a devoted father and husband for over 60 years. He died on February 23, 1998 after a lingering three year illness.

Mr. Henderson came to Durham in 1932 to accept employment with Bankers Fire Insurance Company as chief bookkeeper, field auditor and later Assistant Secretary. Although he left Bankers Fire in 1937 for a position with North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company to establish and systematize the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Real Estate Department, he continued to serve Bankers Fire as Assistant Secretary and member of its Board of Directors.

Mr. Henderson remained a loyal and devoted employee of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company from the time of his initial employment as Chief Clerk in the Real Estate Department in 1937, and later assignments including member of the Investment Committee, the Real Estate Committee, Manager of the Comptroller Department, Assistant Comptroller, Assistant Treasurer, and Treasurer until his retirement in 1973 as Financial Vice-President of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company.

As chief financial officer for North Carolina Mutual, then America's largest Black-owned business, Mr. Henderson utilized his financial acumen to provide leadership toward continued growth of the company. His financial talents were utilized as a member and later Chairman of the Board of Directors of Mutual Savings and Loan Association, as Trustee of Mechanics and farmers Bank, as a member of the Board of Directors of the Chain Investment Corporation, and as Founder and co-organizer, president, treasurer and member of the Board of Directors of the Durham Business and Professional Chain. Although his loyal and dedicated employment with North Carolina Mutual ended with his official retirement in 1973, he enjoyed continued involvement and service with North Carolina Mutual as a member of its Finance and Investment Committee and as consultant through the mid-1980s.

Mr. Henderson was a viable force in the Durham community. He considered service to his community to be of equal importance as excellence in his profession. He approached community service with the same intense enthusiasm and zeal as he approached all of his other responsibilities.

Until his health began to decline, his affiliations were as an "active" member. When critical events were anticipated or were happening in Durham, Mr. Henderson's advice was usually sought, and his involvement was always felt.

He served over 20 years on the Durham Housing Authority, of which 11 years were as Vice-Chairman, and then Chairman in 1971 until he retired in the late 1980s. He was honored in 1978 with the distinction of having a federally financed nine-story senior citizens public housing complex, the J. J. Henderson Housing Center, bear his name. His many community service affiliations included the Durham Human Relations Commission, the Board of Directors of the March of Dimes and the Durham Chamber of Commerce.

His leadership and financial talents were utilized as a member and officer of boards of directors to advance the missions of numerous organizations and programs, including the John Avery Boys and Girls Club, the Daisy E. Scarborough Nursery School, the National Negro Business League and the State of North Carolina Business League. He was a member of the Board of Directors and Chairman of the Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People. Mr. Henderson served on the Advisory Board of North Carolina Central University, and Durham Business College. As a consultant and member of the federal governmental inspection teams sponsored by the U. S. State Department Agency for International Development, he provided consultation and advice for development and training programs in order to make recommendations on ways developing nations can assume a greater role in the monetary economy of West Africa.

While serving his profession and his community, Mr. Henderson performed continuous service to his college, Hampton Institute (renamed Hampton University). Through the National Hampton Alumni Association, and also the Regional Hampton Alumni Association, he received the "Hamptonian of the Year" award. He was highly pleased to be selected as one of the few alumni to be an honored recipient of the Hampton "Centennial Medallion" for exceptional service on behalf of the university. The Centennial Award is presented to an alumnus/alumna who has provided exemplary and unparalleled service to Hampton University. In 1955, Mr. Henderson was elected to the Hampton Board of Trustees and served on the Board for over twenty-five years. He retired as Chairman Emeritus after serving fifteen years as Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

Mr. Henderson was a very spiritual man, one who espoused and lived the philosophy and precepts of positive thinking. His spirituality was most visibly evident through his membership and work for St. Joseph's A. M. E. Church. For over 20 years, he could be found on Sunday mornings singing in the Senior Choir. However, he did more for the church than sing. He was elected to the St. Joseph's Board of Trustees, and held various offices including secretary, treasurer, Chairman of the Finance Committee, and very shortly thereafter, Vice-Chairman and then Chairman of the St. Joseph's Church Trustee Board, a position he held approximately 12 years.

Long after his retirement from formal employment and as he began to "really cut-back" on many positions of responsibility in civic organizations, he became aware of the threat of demolition of the original edifice of St. Joseph's Church (built in 1871) because of downtown plans for urban renewal. J. J. "Babe" Henderson became re-energized and directed his resources of influence, time, energy and persuasion toward the preservation of the original structure, its approval as an historical landmark, and the establishment of the St. Joseph's Historical Foundation. The original church structure and more recent additions function as a Durham Community Cultural Arts Center.

As a member of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc., Mr. Henderson served untiringly, and held elected offices on the local, state and national levels. His impact streamlined and strengthened the fiscal health and management of his fraternity. He was a charter member of the Hampton Institute Chapter. For his continued achievements in the field of business, his long and devoted service to his community, and his fraternity, James J. "Babe" Henderson was awarded the highest honor of Kappa Alpha Fraternity, Inc... "The Laurel Wreath for exceptional merit in commerce, in social welfare and in education, as well as to the Fraternity."

Mr. Henderson is survived by and will be dearly missed by his wife, Julia; his two devoted children, Dr. Ann Henderson Brockenborough of Upper Marlboro, MD and Mr. James J. "Biff" Henderson, Jr. of White Plains, NY; one son-in-law, Mr. Bland T. Brockenborough; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Carolyn McIntosh Henderson; two grandchildren, Ms. Celeste K. Henderson and Mr. James J. Henderson, III; one brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Henderson; one sister and brother-in-law, Mrs. Kathryn Henderson Valentine and Mr. John Valentine; six sisters-in-law, Mrs. Vivian Hendrson (Anna), Mrs. William T. Henderson (Thelma), Mrs. Forest Henderson (Ruth), Mrs. Wendell Smith (Wyonella Hicks) and Mrs. Clarence Hicks (Tessie); nineteen nieces and nephews, cousins and many, many friends and associates.

~ Honorary Pallbearers ~

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Member, Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.
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Director of Durham County Hospital Corporation
Officers and Directors of John Avery Boys and Girls Club*

~ Honorary Floral Bearers ~

*Ladies Aid Society, St. Joseph's A. M. E. Church
Minnie B. Pearson Missionary Society, St. Joseph's A. M. E. Church
Durham Chapter, Girl Friends, Inc.*

~ Acknowledgement ~

The family gratefully acknowledges and deeply appreciates the many acts of kindness, words of encouragement, deeds of caring and concern, and condolences extended to us during the illness and death of our loved one. We have been sustained by your prayers, support, and words of encouragement. We pray that God will continue to watch over each of you, and will shower you with His abundant blessings.

The family asks that memorial contributions be made in Mr. Henderson's name to the St. Joseph's Historic Foundation or the John Avery Boys and Girls Club.

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J.J. "BABE" HENDERSON



Our honoree James J. "Babe" Henderson is a retired Financial Vice President of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company and presently serving as a consultant since officially retiring for years.

James J. Henderson known and loved as "Babe" was born in Bristol, Tennessee and attended Hampton Institute, graduating with a B.S. degree in Business Administration. After graduation he was employed by Bankers Fire & Casualty Insurance Company.

"Babe" became actively involved in community affairs when he moved to Durham serving on many boards and commissions. He was a charter member and served twenty eight years on the Housing Authority of the City of Durham; (DHA), in which ten years he served as Chairman of Durham Housing Authority. Also, a senior citizens housing unit has been named J.J. Henderson Towers. A Charter member of the Durham Human Relations Commission, member of Board of Directors Daisy E. Scarborough Nursery School, Member of Board of Directors of Durham Homes, Inc., NAACP, Advisory

Board member of North Carolina Central University, John Avery Boys Club Board of Directors, Saint Joseph Historic Foundation, Durham Historic Foundation and served as Chairman of the Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People. Elected Chair Emeritus in 1981.

"Babe" is a member of Saint Joseph A.M.E. Church and serves on the Trustee Board, Budget and Finance Committee and served as Senior Choir President, is a member of Kappa Alpha Phi Fraternity and has served as Polemarch for the Durham Alumni Chapter, Retired and elected Polemarch Emeritus, Kappa of Records of Durham Chapter and Grand Keeper of Records and Exchequer of Grand Chapter of Alpha Phi Fraternity, "Babe" has received many honors. Among them are selected one of nine distinguished graduates of Hampton Institute, 1956 Man of the Year Award, Durham, N.C. 1972 Civic Award from the Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People and the highest award of the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity (Laurel Wreath Award), Who's Who in America, Who's Who Among Black Personalities of the South, The National Social Directory and Community Leader, Noteworthy Americans International (England) Biographical Centre.

"Babe" is married to the former Julia M. Hicks and the father of Anne H. Brockenborough and James J. Henderson, Jr.

We are happy to salute this Great American.

'Babe' Henderson, Durham civic leader, dies at 90

By PAUL BONNER
The Herald-Sun

Businessman J.J. "Babe" Henderson, whose contributions to Durham's civic life encompassed economic development, housing, politics, education and recreation, died Monday at his Durham home. He was 90.

Like others of his generation who rose to prominence in the centerpiece of Durham's black business community, N.C. Mutual Life Insurance Co., Mr. Henderson moved easily between corporate and community responsibilities. He led the way for blacks at a time when public housing was segregated, becoming the Durham Housing Authority's first, and for years its only, black board member. When he was made the authority's chairman, many people thought the recog-

please see **HENDERSON/A2**



LEADER DIES: J.J. "Babe" Henderson, Durham businessman and civic leader, died Monday at his Pekoe Avenue home. Services will be held Sunday.

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nition was long overdue and underscored it by naming the authority's apartment building on South Duke Street after him.

At a time when the Greater Durham Chamber of Commerce didn't admit black members, Mr. Henderson's response was characteristic, founding a counterpart to promote black-owned businesses. The Durham Business and Professional Chain continues to thrive.

"It was that kind of positive approach that he always took," said the Rev. Philip Cousin, pastor of St. Joseph AME Church, where Mr. Henderson served as an officer. The Rev. Cousin will officiate at Mr. Henderson's funeral at the church on Fayetteville Street on Sunday, with visitation at 1 p.m. and the service beginning at 2 p.m.

Mr. Henderson is survived by his wife, Julia. His son, Mr. James J. "Biff" Henderson Jr. of White Plains, N.Y., is "Late Show" host David Letterman's stage manager and occasional on-air straight man. He also is survived by a

daughter, Ms. Ann Henderson Brockenborough of Upper Marlborough, Md.; a brother, Mr. Arthur Henderson of Bristol, Tenn.; a sister, Ms. Katherine H. Valentine of Henderson; and two grandchildren.

Mr. Henderson served on many more civic boards and organizations, working for many years in the Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People and eventually chairing the political action group. He sat on the boards of the John Avery Boys and Girls Club and the Scarborough Nursery School, both positions reflecting his abiding interest in opportunities for young people.

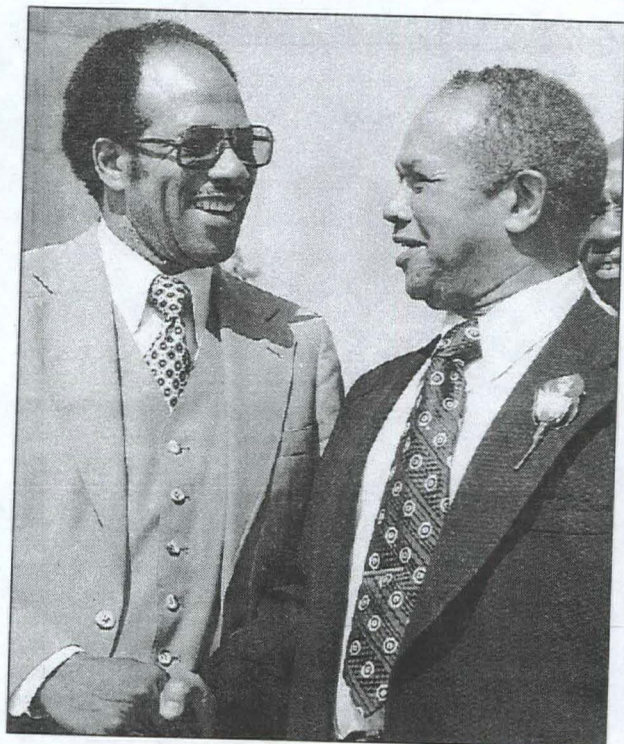
For at least 20 years he was chairman of the board of trustees of his alma mater, Hampton University in Virginia.

He served on several business corporate boards, most prominently Mutual Savings Bank, which he chaired.

Mr. Henderson chaired the board of trustees at St. Joseph and served on the church's finance committee. He also sang in the church choir for at least two decades. When in 1976 the church left its old home on Fayetteville

Street for a new building several blocks south, Mr. Henderson played a seminal role in forming the St. Joseph Historic Foundation to preserve the 1890s architectural landmark, building an annex to it as a home and venue for cultural programs of the Hayti Heritage Center.

Mr. Henderson was born in Bristol, Tenn., the eldest of eight children. After graduating from Hampton, where he gained the nickname "Babe," he came to Durham as a clerk and bookkeeper with Bankers Fire & Casualty Co. After five years, that company was bought by N.C. Mutual. Mr. Henderson, whose field was finance, worked in the new company's real estate section and rose through the ranks to positions as comptroller, treasurer, and, finally, vice president and chief fi-



File photo

HENDERSON DIES: J.J.

"Babe" Henderson (right) a Durham civic leader who died Monday in Durham, is shown in this 1978 photograph with Howard Lee. Currently, Lee is a state senator from the 16th District, which includes Orange County. Funeral services for Henderson will be held Sunday.

nancial officer, from which he retired.

He remained active in civic affairs until about five years ago. A series of strokes impaired his mobility, but he remained alert to the end, the Rev. Cousin said. And he continued to work on behalf of his church. When the congregation paid off its mortgage on its new buildings, he was pleased, the pastor said.

"I always knew him to be a man of quiet determination, just a gentleman," the Rev. Cousin said. "He had a concern for people, and it ran the gamut from children to

the elderly."

Many people remember being invited into the Hendersons' Pekoe Avenue home for dimes at Christmas and candy at Halloween.

Mr. F.V. "Pete" Allison Jr., who as chief executive of Mutual Savings Bank worked closely with Mr. Henderson, said he depended on Mr. Henderson for his financial knowledge and wisdom.

"He had the knowledge. He was well prepared, and he was connected to all phases of the community," Mr. Allison said. "He had a lot of energy. He liked to see things move and get things done."

EDITORIALS

J.J. 'BABE' HENDERSON

A civic giant

Few people have woven themselves into the fabric of an adopted hometown the way Bristol, Tenn., native J.J. "Babe" Henderson did when he arrived in Durham in the early 1930s.

Mr. Henderson, who left a most impressive legacy of community service and good works, died Monday at his Pekoe Street home. He was 90.

Mr. Henderson was a civic giant who fully understood his responsibilities to the community. And it wasn't long after he arrived in Durham in 1932 that Mr. Henderson began to build a distinguished record of community service.

It is not surprising that Mr. Henderson found Durham an attractive city in which to sink his roots shortly after he graduated from his beloved Hampton Institute (now Hampton University) to work for Bankers Fire & Casualty Co. After five years, that company was bought by N.C. Mutual Life Insurance Co. Mr. Henderson eventually rose to the position of chief financial officer at N.C. Mutual, from which he retired.

Durham was the perfect town for Mr. Henderson to put his newly acquired financial talents to work. At the time, Durham was fast building its reputation as the Black Wall Street of America.

Mr. Henderson also founded the Durham Business and Professional Chain, the black counterpart to the Greater Durham Chamber of Commerce, which did not admit black members at the time. It was truly their loss.

The people who knew Mr. Henderson say his founding of the Business Chain was a typical response to the obstacles that Jim Crow placed before him.

"It was that kind of positive approach that he always took," said the Rev. Philip Cousin, pastor of St. Joseph AME Church, where Mr. Henderson served as an officer.

But even so, Mr. Henderson understood that social change requires political activism. He worked for many years in the Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People and eventually became chairman of its influential political action committee.

There was, however, much more depth to Mr. Henderson than the bottom line of an insurance company's financial report or the politics of race. And nowhere is that more evident than in his longtime support of the John Avery Boys and Girls Club and the Scarborough Nursery School.

Mr. Henderson also was the first black person to serve on the Durham Housing Authority Board, of which he eventually became chairman. A public housing apartment building on South Duke Street is named in his honor as a testament to his commitment to improving the living conditions of poor people.

J.J. "Babe" Henderson was a civic giant of the first order, and Durham is a much better place because he chose to sink roots here.

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James Jackson Henderson

Born: Bristol, Tennessee

Education: B. S. Business Administration, Hampton Institute, Hampton, Virginia

Experience: Financial Vice President of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company; Member, Board of Directors of Mutual Savings and Loan Association; Trustee, Mechanics and Farmers Bank.

Affiliations: Durham Business and Professional Chain; Founder, Past President, Past Chairman, Board of Directors, Past Treasurer, Member of the Board of Directors.

Member, Board of Directors Chain Investment Corporation.

Member, National Negro Business League; Past Regional Vice President, Member, Board of Directors.

Member, Hampton Institute Trustee Board, Vice Chairman 7 years 1964-71; Chairman 1971; Member, Executive Committee; Member, Budget, Finance and Investment Committees; Member, Executive Committee National Hampton Alumni Association; Chairman, Hampton Institute Commission.

Served as Grand Keeper of Records and Exchequer of Grand Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity for 10 years and a Member of Grand Board of Directors and Executive Committee for 12 years.

Polemarch, Durham Alumni Chapter, Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity. Served 25 years as Keeper of Records.

Member, Board of Directors and Vice President of Development, Training & Opportunity Corporation, Inc.

Member, Urban Affairs Committee of the Mortgage Bankers Association of America.

Member, Life Insurance Association of America; Former Member of Joint Committee of Securities and Valuation of Assets

Church Membership and Service: Saint Joseph's AME - Vice Chairman of the Senior Board of Trustees; Member, Budget & Finance Committee; Inactive Member Senior Choir and President of the Choir for 20 consecutive years.

Community Service: Member, Board of Directors and Past President, Daisy E. Scarborough Nursery School, Inc.

Member, Durham Chamber of Commerce; Member, Local Downtown Development Committee of the Durham Chamber of Commerce for the 1971 term.

Community Service
Continued:

Charter Member and served 19 consecutive years including 11 years as vice chairman of the Housing Authority of the City of Durham, North Carolina; Reappointed a member of the Housing Authority of the City of Durham by the City Council in 1971; Chairman 1971.

Co-organizer, Past President and former Member, Board of Directors and Executive Committee, Durham Business School.

Charter Member of the City of Durham Human Relations Commission.

Member, Advisory Board of North Carolina Central University.

Member, Executive Committee, Treasurer of Political Committee and Past Chairman and Co-Chairman Civic Committee of Durham Committee of Negro Affairs.

Member, Board of Directors of Durham Homes, Inc.

Member, John Avery Boys Club Board of Directors; Chairman First Capital Building Fund Campaign.

Member, Board of Directors March of Dimes

Member, National Urban League

Member, National Association for the Advance of Colored People

Honors:

Honored in 1953 and 1958 by Durham Alumni Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity for 20 and 25 years of service and achievements.

Recipient of the 1954 Hamptonian of the Year Award presented by the North Carolina Region of Hampton Alumni Association.

Recipient of the 1956 Man of the Year Award, Durham, North Carolina.

Recipient of the 1959 John Avery Boys' Club Man-Boy Award.

Recipient of the 1965 plaque presented by the 53rd Grand Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity for achievement and services.

Recipient of the 1966 award presented by the Middle Eastern Province of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity for achievement and services.

Recipient of the 1967 Alumni-at-Large Award presented by the administration of Hampton Institute for contribution to American life and devotion to the program of the institution.

Honors Continued:

Recipient of the 1968 plaque Scarborough Nursery School for 25 years of service as secretary 14 years and president 11 years.

Selected one of nine distinguished graduates of Hampton Institute from 8,600 alumni to receive the college's Centennial Medallion at the 1969 Centennial Founder's Day program.

In 1969 recipient of the City of Durham Human Relations Commission first annual award in appreciation of contribution in the promotion of human relations as a representative of the community.

Recipient of the 1971 Middle Eastern Province Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity Most Outstanding Alumni of the Year Award.

Recipient of the 1972 annual Civic Award from the Durham Committee on Negro Affairs for "many excellent contributions to the citizens of Durham, the business community of the state and nation through untiring efforts and dedication through the years."

PALL BEARERS

Nephews
Eugene Foushee
Nathanial Hoskins
Wallace Hinton
John T. Cornegans
Willie Hogans
J. D. Smith

FLORAL BEARERS

Missionary Group of First Calvary Baptist Church
Senior Choir of First Calvary Baptist Church
Chancel Choir of First Calvary Baptist Church

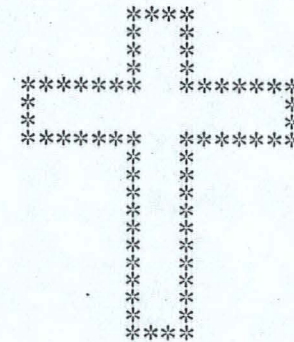
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Perhaps you sent cards,
Or sat quietly in a chair;
Perhaps you sent a funeral spray,
If so, we saw it there;
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words
As any friend could say;
Perhaps you were not there at all,
Just thought of us that day.
Whatever you've done to console our hearts,
We thank you so much, whatever the part.

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IN MEMORIAM



MRS. LEANNA WOODS HENDERSON

1914-1980

First Calvary Baptist Church
Durham, North Carolina

Saturday, January 5, 1980
1:00 P. M.

The Rev. W. J. Wilson officiating

OBITUARY

Mrs. Leanna Woods Henderson died Tuesday afternoon, January 1, 1980. She was born August 13, 1914, to the late Rev. S. S. Woods and Annie Faucett Woods of Hillsborough, North Carolina.

She had been a member of First Calvary Baptist Church for many years, where she served on the Chancel and Senior Choirs and the First-Aid Club until her health failed her.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Doris Gunter of Richmond, Virginia; two sons, Lawrence Jones of Tacoma, Washington, and Alexander Jones; one sister, Mrs. Geraldine Jones of the city; fifteen grandchildren, one great grandson, and a host of other relatives and friends.

We loved you, but God loved you best.

Sleep in peace and take your rest.

The Family

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Hymn - "What A Friend" Chancel Choir

Scripture Rev. Edward Hoskins

Prayer

Hymn - "It Is Well with my Soul"

Acknowledgements M. W. Webb

Solo Mr. Wallace Hinton

Eulogy Rev. W. J. Wilson

Song - "Come Ye Disconsolate"

Interment

Beechwood Cemetery
Durham, N.C.

(Drivers in the procession please turn on headlights for safety)

Floral Bearers

Maud E. Logan District, White Rock Baptist Church
Neighbors

Active Pallbearers

Mr. W. Thomas Bailey, Jr.	Mr. J. Waverly Page
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Mr. H.H. Coleman	Mr. Wallace Stone
Mr. Albert Eaton	Mr. DeEdward Watson
Mr. James R. Henry	Mr. Raymond Williams
Mr. John H. Hines	

Honorary Pallbearers

Board of Trustees, White Rock Baptist Church
Officers, Members and Staff of the
Durham Business and Professional Chain

Thanks to you, our friends, for your years of friendship,
fellowship and kindness during the life and illness and for
your sympathy since the death of our beloved husband, uncle
and friend.

The Family

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A WORSHIP OF GOD UPON MR. WALKER FRED HENDERSON'S DEATH



Saturday, June 27, 1987
12:00 Noon

White Rock Baptist Church
3400 Fayetteville Street
Durham, North Carolina

Lorenzo A. Lynch, Pastor
Conducting the Worship

Obituary

MR. WALKER FRED HENDERSON, son of the late William and Agnes Odum Henderson, was born August 12, 1895 in Durham, North Carolina. He attended Durham Public Schools.

He was a member of White Rock Baptist Church, Board of Trustees, of White Rock and the Maud E. Logan District, of White Rock.

Mr. Henderson owned and operated Henderson's Grocery in East Durham for more than forty years. During this time he was a member of the Durham Business and Professional Chain, and served as its treasurer for some time. His frequent customers, the children of the community called him "Mr. Fred" and even though they are now adults they still remember him by that name. He retired in 1966.

He was a kind and compassionate husband, neighbor and friend. His support and attendance at worship will be greatly missed.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Gladys B. Henderson; two nephews, Al Boyce of Merced, California, Nathaniel Boyce of Richmond, California; one niece, Lossie Boyce Carrigan of Richmond, California; several great nephews and nieces and several cousins of Durham, North Carolina.

O For A Faith That Will Not Shrink

1. *O for a faith that will not shrink, Tho' pressed by ev'ry foe,
That will not tremble on the brink of any earthly woe;
Of any earthly woe;*
2. *That will not murmur nor complain Beneath the chast'ning rod,
But, in the hour of grief or pain, Will lean upon its God;
Will lean upon its God;*
3. *A faith that shines more bright and clear When tempests rage
without,
That, when in danger, knows no fear, In darkness feels no
doubt,
In darkness feels no doubt.*
4. *Lord, give us such a faith as this, And then, whate'er may come,
We'll taste, e'en here, the hallowed bliss Of an eternal home,
Of an eternal home.*

AMEN

The Order of Worship

ORGAN PRELUDE Mrs. L.L. Parker

*PROCESSIONAL

HYMN 359 Choir and Congregation
"O For A Faith That Will Not Shrink"

PRAYER The Rev. Norris Trice, Pastor
Morning Star Baptist Church, Oxford

SCRIPTURE 505 Mr. David Harrison and Congregation

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS Mr. James M. Schooler, Sr.

REMARKS Mrs. Celie Upchurch, Member
East Durham Community

SOLO Mrs. Margaret K. Goodwin

EULOGY Lorenzo A. Lynch, Pastor

*RECESSIONAL

ORGAN PRELUDE Mrs. L.L. Parker

*-Please Stand

Interment
Beechwood Cemetery
Durham

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

Deaths



CLAUDIE ERNEST HENRY

Final rites for Claudie Ernest Henry were held Sunday, August 14 at Mount Vernon Baptist Church. Rev. Percy L. High, pastor, officiated. Interment was in Beechwood Cemetery. He died Tuesday, August 9, at Durham Regional Hospital.

He was born September 23, 1911 in Wake County, a son of the late Ernest Cleveland and Mrs. Beulah Frances Henry. He attended Wake County public schools. He was a veteran of the United States Navy and received the Victory Medal and American Area medal. He was a member of Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, the T.L. Rowland Bible Class, original Male Chorus and Deacon Board.

Surviving are a wife, Mrs. Catherine Hazel Henry; two sisters, Mses. Lillian Burnett, Durham, and Laura Rogers, Charlotte.

Arrangements were by Fisher Funeral Parlor.

THE CAROLINAS, N.C.

Claudie Ernest Henry

DURHAM — Claudie Ernest Henry, 93, of 2509 Lane St., died Tuesday, August 9, 2005, at Durham Regional Hospital.



Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at Mount Vernon Baptist Church, 1007 S. Roxboro St. Family visitation, 30 minutes prior to service. Burial, Beechwood Cemetery, Section D. Viewing, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday and Saturday at Fisher Funeral Parlor.

He was a United States Navy World War II veteran.

He was a member of Mount Vernon Baptist Church and served as a deacon.

Survivors include his wife, Catherine Hazel Henry; sisters, Lillian Burnett and Laura Rogers; a devoted sister-in-law and caregiver, Helen Ruth Lewis.

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Pallbearers

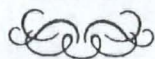
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Honorary Pallbearers

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Zafa Temple # 176
Durham Consistory # 218

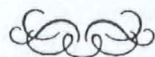
Floral Bearers

Price Avenue Neighborhood Club



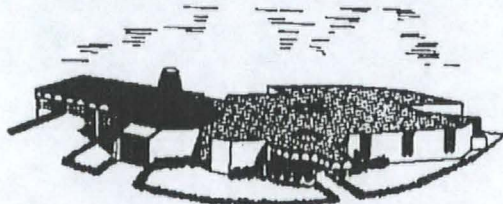
Acknowledgement

With deep and sincere gratitude, the family of the late Mr. James Richard Henry, Sr. extend their thankfulness and appreciation to everyone for the many acts of love and kindness shown to them during the periods of illness and death. Your thoughtful concern will be a source of comfort in the days to come. May God continue to bless you with His ongoing guidance and serenity.



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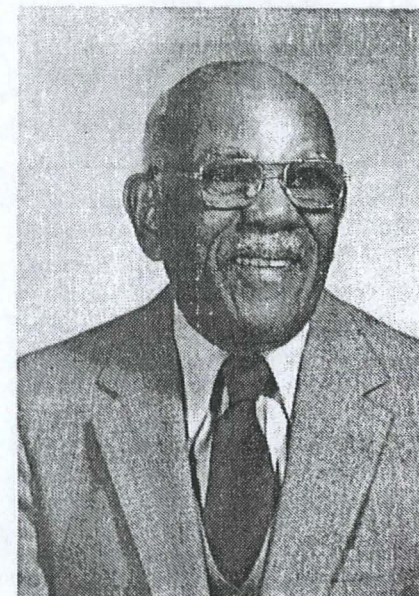
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In Loving Memory
of

MR. JAMES RICHARD HENRY, SR.

(September 28, 1914 - August 27, 1994)



Wednesday, August 31, 1994
11:00 A.M.

White Rock Baptist Church
3400 Fayetteville Street
Durham, North Carolina 27707

The Reverend William E. Daye
Officiating Minister

The Order of Service

The Obituary

PRELUDE *Dr. Paula D. Harrell, Musician*

PROCESSIONAL *Musical Interlude*

HYMN *The Choir and Congregation*
"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

SCRIPTURES *Dr. John H. Lucas, Sr.*
Old Testament - Psalm 24
New Testament - John 14: 1-6

PRAYER *Mr. George Bridgers*

HYMN *The Choir and Congregation*
"I Heard The Voice"

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS *Mr. Ellis Allen*

OBITUARY *Please Read Silently*

MUSICAL MEDLEY *Dr. Paula D. Harrell, Musician*

EULOGY *The Reverend William E. Daye, Pastor*
Peace Missionary Baptist Church
Durham, North Carolina

MORTICIAN'S BRIEF *The Funeral Director*

RECESSIONAL *Musical Interlude*

POSTLUDE *Dr. Paula D. Harrell, Musician*

Interment

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

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

MR. JAMES RICHARD HENRY, SR., son of the late Mr. Adrain Henry and the late Mrs. Eliza Henry, was born on September 28, 1914 in Wilmington, North Carolina. He entered eternal rest on Saturday, August 27, 1994 at his residence, after an extended illness.

He received his education in the public schools of Wilmington, North Carolina and graduated from Williston High School. After moving to Durham, North Carolina in 1934, he joined the White Rock Baptist Church where he became a member of the Trustee Board, the Senior Usher Board and the Moore Kennedy Bible Class.

After serving as a First Sergeant in the United States Army, Mr. Henry was employed with North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company and the Veterans Administration Hospital where he retired in 1976.

Mr. Henry was a member of the American Association of Retired Persons, the National Association of Retired Federal Employees, the American Federation of Government Employees, Doric Masonic Lodge # 28, Zafa Temple # 176 and Durham Consistory # 218.

He leaves to cherish his memory and mourn his loss, his devoted wife, Mrs. Marion S. Henry of the home; one daughter, Ms. Jacqueline Henry of Durham, North Carolina; one son, Mr. James R. Henry, Jr. and one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Sarah Henry of Hollis, New York; two brothers, Mr. Adrain Henry and Mr. Fred Henry, both of Wilmington, North Carolina; one sister, Mrs. Lillian Moore of Swainsboro, Georgia; one brother-in-law, Mr. William P. Malone of Durham, North Carolina; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Madeline S. Malone of Durham, North Carolina and a host of nephews, nieces and cousins and dear friends.



Death Came Quietly

*Death came quietly, and gave me gentle sleep,
 To those that I leave behind, please don't you weep;
 The good Lord giveth, and at times, He takes away,
 Nothing on His earth, is forever here to stay.
 Rejoice now and celebrate, the life He gave to me,
 All things that happen, are surely meant to be.
 When I was alive, you were all so dear,
 If you just remember the good times,
 You'll feel that I am near.
 It's times like these, that weigh heavy on the heart,
 Put a smile on your face, and make a brand new start.
 Family and friends I loved, please don't you weep,
 Death came quietly, and gave me gentle sleep.*

The Family

Pall Bearers

Moore-Kennedy Bible Class
Trustee Board

Moral Bearers

Servater N. Evans District
Susie V. Norfleet Sunday School Class
Price Street Neighborhood

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The FAMILY of Mrs. Marion Louise Southerland Henry
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January 13, 1919 -- July 24, 1999

WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 1999
11 A.M.

WHITE ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH

3400 Fayetteville Street

Durham, North Carolina 27707

Reverend Doctor Reginald Van Stephens, Pastor

Obituary

MRS. MARION LOUISE SOUTHERLAND HENRY, daughter of the late Edgar and Laura McDade Southerland, was born on January 13, 1919 in Durham, North Carolina. She departed this life on Saturday, July 24, 1999, in her daughter's home at 102 Carved Oak Lane.

She was educated in the Durham City Schools and was a 1937 graduate of Hillside High School. She joined White Rock Baptist Church at an early age. She was a member of the Servater N. Evans District, Susie V. Norfleet Sunday School Class and the White Rock Choir. She was also a member of the Junior Mother's Club and the Price Street Neighborhood Club.

She was a retired employee of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company. She was a supervisor in the Ordinary Life Division and worked for 40 years. She married James R. Henry on July 28, 1940. He preceded her in death on August 27, 1994.

She leaves to cherish her loving memories, a son, James R. Henry, Jr. of Hollis, NY; a daughter, Ms. Marion Jacqueline Henry of Durham; a sister, Mrs. Madeline S. Malone of Durham; brothers-in-law, William P. Malone of Durham and Freddie Henry of Wilmington, NC; sister-in-law, Ms. Lillian Henry of Swansboro, Ga.; and a host of other relatives and friends.

--FAREWELL--

*Farewell my dear ones, don't you weep,
For I'm at peace now, just asleep;
Farewell my children, I'm not alone,
The Mighty Maker has led me safely home.
Just think back over the many years,
How sometimes we seemed so strong holding back tears;
Yet God always made a way,
I thanked Him every night for another day.
Be strong my loved ones, always love one another,
Be a thoughtful person, be a kind servant;
Be strong my loved ones, strong in heart,
The blood ties no one can ever part.
If somewhere I've made a mistake,
As you live, many you will make;
Farewell everyone, I've been called away,
Walk with God, trust in Him everyday.*

Family Visitation

10:30 A.M. to 11 A.M.

Order of Service

PRELUDE.....Doctor Paula Harrell
Mr. Frank Williams

HYMN #27 -- *Blessed Assurance*Choir and Congregation

SCRIPTURES.....Deacon John H. Lucas, Sr.
Old Testament -- Psalms 23
New Testament -- 1 Corinthians 15:49-58

PRAYER OF COMFORT.....Deacon George Bridgers

SOLO -- *His Eye Is On The Sparrow*..Mrs. Margaret K. Goodwin

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

AND RESOLUTIONS.....Mrs. Sue J. Jarman

HYMN # 189 -- *It Is Well With My Soul*..Choir and Congregation

EULOGY.....Doctor Reginald Van Stephens

HYMN #241 -- *Jesus Savior, Pilot Me* ..Choir and Congregation

RECESSIONAL

POSTLUDE

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Interment
Beechwood Cemetery
Section F
Durham, North Carolina 27707

*Drivers in the Procession, Please Turn on Your Headlights and
Flashers for Safety.*

HENRY

Mrs. Marion Louise Southerland Henry, daughter of the late Edgar and Laura M. Southerland, was born on January 13, 1909, in Durham. She entered eternal rest on Friday, July 23, at her daughter's residence, after an extended illness.

She graduated from Hillside High School.

She was employed by North



Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company for over 40 years.

She was a member of White Rock Baptist Church, its senior choir, Susie V.

Norfleet Sunday School Class, and the S.N. Evans district. She was also a member of the Junior Mothers Club and the Price Street Neighborhood Club.

She was married to the late James R. Henry, Sr., for more than 50 years.

Funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday at White Rock Baptist Church, Dr. Reginald V. Stephens officiating. Burial, Beechwood Cemetery. Visitation, 30 minutes prior to service.

She leaves to cherish her memory and mourn her loss, a daughter, Ms. Jacqueline Henry, of Durham; a son, Mr. James R.

Henry, Sr., of Hollis, N.Y.; a sister, Mrs. Madeline S. Malone and her husband, Mr. William P. Malone, both of Durham; as well as nephews, nieces, cousins, and dear friends.

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