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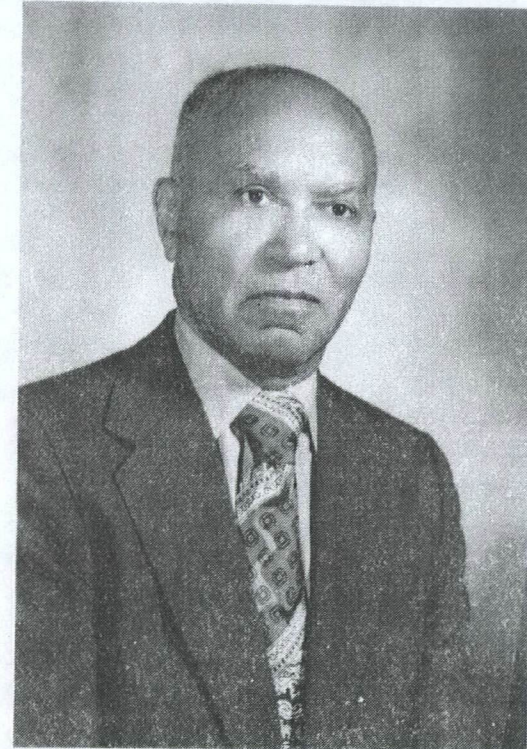
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loved one. May God's richest blessings be yours.*

*The Family*

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## IN MEMORIAM



### Henry McKinley Michaux

June 20, 1897 — November 25, 1986

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Saint Joseph's A.M.E. Church  
Durham, North Carolina

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Friday, November 28, 1986  
2:00 P.M.

The Reverend W.W. Easley, Pastor

## Henry McKinley Michaux

HENRY MCKINLEY MICHAUX, son of the late Henry Michaux and Julia Carroll Michaux, died at the Durham County General Hospital at 6:30 a.m. on Tuesday, November 25, 1986.

He was born in Burke County, N.C., on June 20, 1897. He was educated at Kittrell College, in Kittrell, N.C., and at North Carolina Central University. Mr. Michaux was a member of the class of 1921 of the National Training School, which is now NCCU.

Mr. Michaux is the father of two sons, Henry M. "Mickey" Michaux, Jr., and Eric C. Michaux, both of whom are eminently successful. H.M. "Mickey" Michaux is a member of the North Carolina State House of Representatives and Eric Michaux is chairman of the North Carolina Board of Law Examiners.

For nearly sixty-five years Mr. Michaux served the civic and business communities of this area. He was chairman of the board of four family enterprises, Union Insurance and Realty Company, Glennview Memorial Park, Inc., Durham, North Carolina, Washington Terrace Apartments and Shopping Center, and Terrace Insurance and Realty Company, Raleigh, North Carolina.

He was a member of the trustee board of St. Joseph's A.M.E. Church in Durham, and a member of the board of directors of Mutual Savings and Loan Association, the John Avery Boy's Club, the National Association of Real Estate Brokers, and Daisy E. Scarborough Home, Inc.

He had also served as a member of the Trustee Board of Lincoln Hospital and Lincoln Hospital Foundation.

He was a member of the James E. Shepard Society of NCCU, of the Durham Business and Professional Chain, the Durham Chamber of Commerce, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, and a Mason and a Shriner.

Mr. Michaux was a staunch defender in what he believed in, and next to his devotion to his family and church was his love and loyalty to his alma mater, North Carolina Central University.

Mr. Michaux was formerly a member of the James E. Shepard Memorial Foundation, and Founding Director of North Carolina Central University Foundation, Inc., of which he remained an honorary director.

Surviving with his sons are two brothers, Mr. Bertis Michaux and Mr. Manley S. Michaux, both of Durham, N.C.; a sister, Mrs. Lucy M. Bryant of Morganton, N.C.; two grandchildren, Ms. Jocelyn Winston Simeon and Justin Dafford Michaux; two daughters-in-law, Mrs. Della Michaux and Mrs. Joyce Michaux; many nieces and nephews and other relatives.

## Order of Service

### PRELUDE

### PROCESSIONAL

HYMN — *How Great Thou Art* . . . . . Senior Choir

SCRIPTURE . . . . . Rev. Thomas B. Jiles

PRAYER . . . . . Rev. Thomas B. Jiles

HYMN — *His Eye Is On The Sparrow* . . . . . Senior Choir

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS, RESOLUTIONS AND  
OBITUARY . . . . . Mrs. Gayle Fleming

HYMN — *Precious Lord* . . . . . Senior Choir

EULOGY . . . . . Rev. W.W. Easley

### OMEGA HYMN

### RECESSIONAL

Interment  
Glennview Memorial Park  
Apex Highway  
Durham, North Carolina

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

**Pallbearers**

*Family and Friends*

**Floral Bearers**

*Family and Friends*

**Acknowledgement**

*The family wishes to express their sincere thanks and gratitude for the many acts of love and kindness shown by their many friends during their hour of bereavement.  
May God continue to shower upon each of you His abundant blessings!*

*Dinner will be served to family and friends at Lincoln Memorial Baptist Church, 1500 South Roxboro Street, Durham, North Carolina immediately following interment.*

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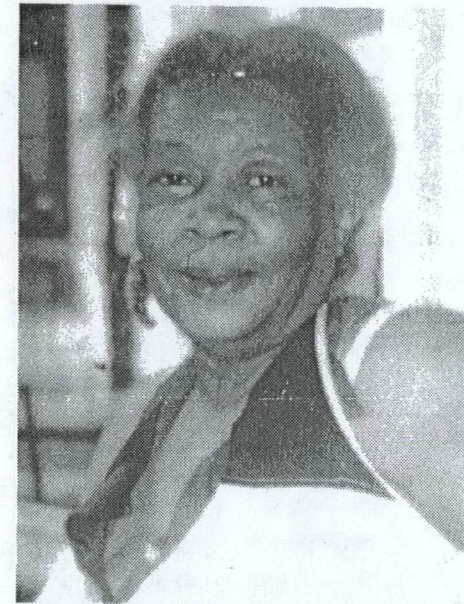
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*In Loving Memory  
of*

**MRS. NAOMI HERNDON MIDGETTE**

*(February 15, 1916 - December 25, 1994)*



**Saturday, December 31, 1994  
12:00 Noon**

**Scarborough and Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.  
Memorial Chapels and Gardens  
306 South Roxboro Street  
Durham, North Carolina 27702**

**The Reverend Dr. Percy L. High  
Officiating Minister**

## The Order of Service

PRELUDE ..... *Mr. Steven Bigelow, Musician*

PROCESSIONAL ..... *Musical Interlude*

SOLO ..... *Mrs. Dorothy Jackson*

SCRIPTURE ..... *Mr. John Henry Webb*  
*Old Testament*  
*New Testament*

PRAYER ..... *The Reverend Leroy Pegram*

SOLO ..... *Ms. Keisha Gwyn*

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS  
AND OBITUARY ..... *Mrs. Mamie Alston*

EULOGY ..... *The Reverend Dr. Percy L. High, Pastor*  
*Mount Vernon Baptist Church*  
*Durham, North Carolina*

SOLO ..... *Mrs. Dorothy Jackson*

MORTICIAN'S BRIEF ..... *The Funeral Director*

RECESSIONAL ..... *Musical Interlude*

POSTLUDE ..... *Mr. Steven Bigelow, 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.*

## The Obituary

**Mrs. Naomi Herndon Midgette**, daughter of the late Mr. Lorenzo R. Herndon and the late Mrs. Ada Rolfe Herndon, was born on February 15, 1916 in Durham, North Carolina.

She departed this walk of life on Sunday afternoon, December 25, 1994 at Howard University Hospital, Washington, District of Columbia.


She received her education in the Durham City Public School system and was a graduate of Hillside High School, Durham, North Carolina.

She was a member of Mount Vernon Baptist Church, Durham, North Carolina until she moved to Washington, District of Columbia in 1974.

In January of 1937, she was united in Holy Matrimony to the late Mr. Harold Leon Midgette, Sr. To this union four children were born, one of whom, Mr. Harold Leon Midgette, Jr., preceded her in death.

She leaves to cherish her memory and mourn her loss, three daughters, Mrs. Shirley M. Buie, Mrs. Bernice M. Whitley and Ms. Cynthia L. Midgette, all of Washington, District of Columbia; two stepsons, Mr. Vernon E. Ruffin of Brooklyn, New York and Mr. Bobby L. Leathers of Durham, North Carolina; two sons-in-law, Mr. Kenneth J. Buie, Sr. of Washington, District of Columbia and Mr. James D. Whitley, Sr. of Syracuse, New York; twenty-four grandchildren; fifty-two great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; three nephews; three nieces and a host of other loving relatives and dear friends.

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### In Memoriam

*Servant of God, well done,  
Thy glorious warfares past;  
The battles are fought, the victory is won,  
And thou art crowned at last.*

*The Family*

**FLORAL BEARERS**

Triangle District - White Rock Baptist Church  
Durham Unit - Retired Teachers  
Present and Former Faculty and Staff  
Burton School, Durham City Schools  
Emorywood Community Club  
Employees North Carolina Mutual  
Life Insurance Company  
Pal's Church School Class,  
White Rock Baptist Church

**PALLBEARERS**

Moore-Kennedy Bible Class  
White Rock Baptist Church  
Trustees, White Rock Baptist Church

**HONORARY PALLBEARERS**

Principals and Former Principals  
Durham City Schools  
Triangle District - White Rock Baptist Church  
Omega Psi Phi Fraternity

**Acknowledgment**

*Thanks to you, our friends, for your years of friendship, fellowship and support during the life and illness, and your sympathy since the death of our Husband, Father, Brother, Grandfather and Friend.*

**THE FAMILY**

*A meal will be served to the Family and out-of-town friends in the Fellowship Hall at White Rock Baptist Church after the burial.*

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**A Celebration Of The Life  
And  
A Service Of Worship Of The  
Almighty God Upon The Death  
Of**



**Mr. Elwynn W. Midgette**

February 18, 1910 - March 13, 1984

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**White Rock Baptist Church**

3400 Fayetteville Street  
Durham, North Carolina 27707

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**Saturday, March 17, 1984**

1:00 PM

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Lorenzo A. Lynch, Pastor, Officiating

## Obituary

ELWYNN WEBSTER MIDGETTE, 74, passed from this life to eternal life on Wednesday afternoon, March 13, 1984. He was the eldest child born to the late Reverend Abram F. Midgette and Lillian Gibbs Midgette on February 18, 1910 in Merritt, North Carolina.

He moved with his family to Durham at school age. He was educated in the Durham Public Schools and was graduated from North Carolina College (North Carolina Central University) with Bachelor's and Master's degrees. He did post-graduate work at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

He started his professional career with the City Recreation Department in Durham. His concern for the social development of youth led him to become one of the organizers of the John Avery Boys' Club. He initiated Boy Scout Troop 187, and was a committee member of Boy Scout Troop 55.

His recreational career evolved into a teaching career and he served as part of the Durham City School faculty for thirty-four years, serving twenty-five years as the Principal of Burton Elementary School. During this time, he served a period as President of the Durham-Orange School Masters.

He was clerk at White Rock Baptist Church for more than thirty-five years and served as teacher of The Moore-Kennedy Bible Class for seven years beginning February 9, 1975. Additionally, he served forty years as trustee.

He was active in Durham civic affairs and was instrumental in forming the Burton Community Civic League. His leadership in this organization culminated in the establishment of the T.A. Grady Community Center, in addition to improved bus service, street pavings and other accomplishments. He was a Mason and a member of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity.

He was the first black Commissioner on the Housing Authority for the City of Durham where he established an enviable record in achieving good decent housing for many Durhamites. He was the recipient of numerous awards and citations from the City of Durham, civic, political, educational and recreational agencies. He spent the years after his retirement in 1975 writing an historical novel which may soon be published.

He was married to Onnie Lee Perry of Durham. To this union three children were born: Lillian Midgette Gurdal, Nonnie Franklin Midgette and Dwight Midgette. He is survived by his wife; three children; six grandchildren, Qurita, Qwynn, Ronnie, Karen, Dwight Midgette and Rodney Gurdal; his sister, Irene Carey of Glen Burnie; a host of other relatives and friends.

*His last words were, "God! Oh, precious God." Because of his great faith, trust and love of God, his family is better able to let go and give him back to God. He lived for God's Glory. Praise God for him! We rejoice and celebrate both his life and death.*

## Order of Worship

ORGAN PRELUDE ..... Mrs. Phyllis Holliday

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN #223 - *"I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say"* .....  
The Choir and Congregation

INVOCATION ..... Dr. Joseph Battle  
*Teacher, Moore-Kennedy Bible Class and  
Professor, Duke University*

SCRIPTURE #505 ..... Mr. W.L. Bradsher and Congregation  
*Former Principal, C.C. Spaulding School  
Durham City Schools*

SOLO - *"Precious Lord"* ..... Mrs. Marshall G. Kee  
*Member, White Rock Senior Choir*

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS ..... Mr. H.E. Tatum, Jr.  
*Associate Clerk, White Rock Baptist Church and  
Principal, Shepard Middle School,  
Durham City Schools*

OMEGA HYMN

HYMN - *"It Is Well With My Soul"* ..... The Choir and Congregation

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

RECESSIONAL

ORGAN POSTLUDE ..... Mrs. Phyllis Holliday

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BEECHWOOD CEMETERY  
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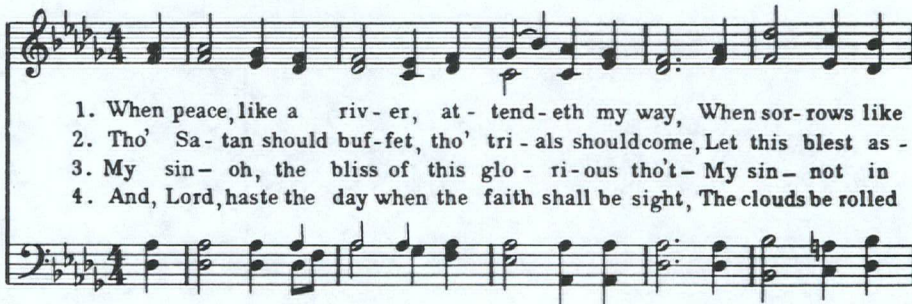
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# It Is Well with My Soul

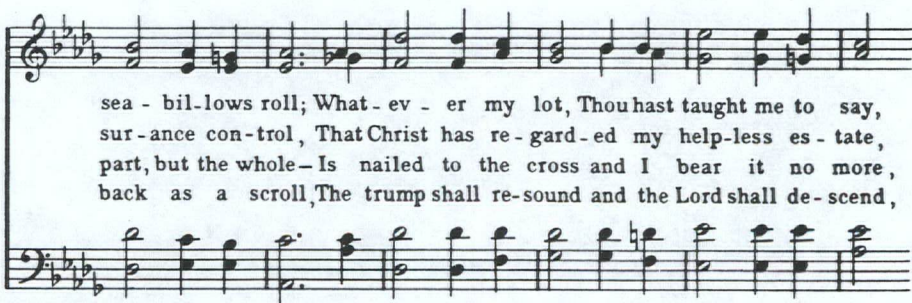
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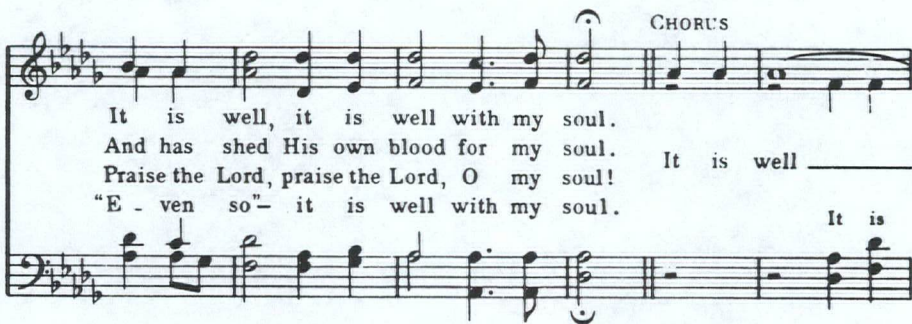
P. P. BLISS



1. When peace, like a riv-er, at-tend-eth my way, When sor-rows like  
2. Tho' Sa-tan should buf-fet, tho' tri-als should come, Let this blest as-  
3. My sin-oh, the bliss of this glo-ri-ous tho't-My sin-not in  
4. And, Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight, The clouds be rolled



sea-bil-lows roll; What-ev-er my lot, Thou hast taught me to say,  
sur-ance con-trol, That Christ has re-gard-ed my help-less es-tate,  
part, but the whole-Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more,  
back as a scroll, The trump shall re-sound and the Lord shall de-scend,



CHORUS

It is well, it is well with my soul.  
And has shed His own blood for my soul. It is well \_\_\_\_\_  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!  
"E-ven so"- it is well with my soul. It is



\_\_\_\_\_ with my soul, \_\_\_\_\_ It is well, it is well with my soul.  
well with my soul,

BANQUET HONORING MR. E. W. MIDGETTE - RAMADA INN MOTEL

June 12, 1975

Madam Chairman, Honoree and friends:

I am a firm believer that the purpose of man's journey through this life is to make things just a little bit better for others. Those of us who have been in the community for a few years know that the honoree found it difficult, if not impossible, to separate the activities of the school from those of the community. He knew that children were products of the community and reflected the environmental conditions under which they lived.

Soon after moving in the community in 1951, we found ourselves aligned with Burton School and the PTA-even though we had no children. Two Boy Scouts were sent to me by the honoree in October 1951 to ask if I would serve as their scoutmaster until one could be found. Well, that was 24 years ago and the honoree has not found one yet. Between Mr. Midgette and Mr. Coy McIntyre, the building was poened so that we could meet in the hall of the school every Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. After the auditorium was built we were given the old boiler room and coal bin, and enough paint to make a good permanent meeting place. We still meet every Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. Mr. Midgette, the boys will long remember you for the Boston baked beans that you have personally furnished each year at our banquet.

In addition to this and besides his excellent record as principal a of Burton School, we could go on and on telling of the work that he has done to help inspire people to change a honeysuckle and blackberry field with dusty roads. In 1951 the only and nearest pavement to the Burton community was on Alston Aveda and Angier Avenue. The nearest buses were the Fayetteville Street and Angier Avenue busses. The rest was mud and dust. Through the PTA he was instrumental in organizing the Burton Community Civic League and gave it its first Constitution and By-Laws. Some of the officers, directors and supporters were: N. B. White, W. W. Barbee, J. P. Morgan, Elmo Mangum, Jack Stanley, M



Jack Stantley, Coy McIntyre, Mrs. Lillie McIntyre, Mrs. E. B. Pratt, Miss Annie M Dunigan, Mrs. Lois Ray, Howard Alston, C. C. Malone, W. A. Marsh, Jr, Mrs. Julia McNeill, to name a few. From this organization came petitions for curb and gutter, sidewalks, street paving, street lights, telephones, bus service, zone changes, opposition to zone changes, mail service, corner mail boxes, The T. A. Grady Community Center, the park and playground, Burton School Voting Precinct, the development of the path from Bacon and Bowen Streets to Burton School, the foot bridge over the Freeway, many school improvements, and many others including the organization of special community groups in the College View project, Plum Street and Rosewood Street. There was even a block beautification contest held annually.

Mr. Midgette was made a member of the Durham Housing Authority where he established an outstanding record.

Yes, Mr. Midgette, you have been truly a person who has lived the life of a man whose purpose and journey through this world has been to make things for others just a little bit better for others than you found them. In closing, we the people of the Burton Community extend our warmest congratulations to you on this occasion. As a leader of our community, you have done your tasks well and you have demonstrated courage and vision. May you be granted many years of good health and peace for a job well done. We are happy to join with your many good friends in paying tribute to you this evening.

R. Kelly Bryant, Jr., Secretary  
BURTON COMMUNITY CIVIC LEAGUE

June 12, 1975

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS:

Mr. Theodore Hargrove	Mr. Tom White
Mr. Joe Barnes	Mr. Sunny Harris
Mr. Chester Spells	Mr. Joe Lee Holt
Mr. Walter Durham	Mr. Dock La John

HONORARY PALLBEARERS:

Members of the Moore Bible Class  
Members of the Trustee and Deacon Boards  
Members of the Taxi Cab Association

ACTIVE FLORAL BEARERS:

Mrs. Lizzie Hargrove	Mrs. Betty Lane
Mrs. Josephine Jones	Mrs. Annie B. Rogers
Mrs. Arlene Davis	Mrs. Ophelia Spells
Mrs. Nettie Thompkins	Mrs. Theresa Carroll
Mrs. Santha Barnes	Mrs. Helen McFadden

City Missionary Circles  
The Philathea Sunday School Class

In Memoriam



MR. HAROLD LEON MIDGETTE

1913--1960

White Rock Baptist Church

DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

Thursday, December 29, 1960

2:00 P. M.

THE REVEREND MILES MARK FISHER, MINISTER

❁ OBITUARY ❁

MR. HAROLD LEON MIDGETTE, 47, was born January 3, 1913 at Merrit, North Carolina, son of the Reverend and Mrs. A. F. Midgette, and died at the home of his parents Monday evening, December 26.

In 1925 he moved to Durham with his parents and attended Hillside High School from which he graduated.

Shortly after moving to Durham he was baptised and affiliated with the White Rock Baptist Church under the pastorate of the late Reverend S. L. McDowell.

In 1937 he was married to the former Miss Naomi Herndon. To this union were born four children: Mrs. Shirley Buie of Durham, Mrs. Ada Bernice Whitley of Washington, D. C.; Harold, Jr. of Washington, D. C. and Cynthia of the home.

Other relatives surviving him include: his parents, a brother, E. W. Midgette of Durham; two sisters, Mrs. Irene Carey of Baltimore; Mrs. Callie Harris of Chicago, Illinois; five grandchildren; two nieces; two nephews; a host of other relatives and friends.

“Servants of God, well done,  
The glorious warfare’s past;  
The battle fought, the victory won,  
And thy art crowned at last.”

❁ MEMORIAL SERVICE ❁

ORGAN MEDITATION ..... MRS. LUVENIA PARKER

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN—“Abide With Me” ..... THE CHOIR

SCRIPTURE ..... THE REVEREND E. T. BROWNE  
Pastor, Mount Vernon Baptist Church

PRAYER ..... <sup>Z. D. Harris</sup>  
THE REVEREND R. L. SPEAKS  
Pastor, Saint Mark A.M.E. Zion Church  
*Oak Grove F.W.D. Baptist*

HYMN ..... THE CHOIR

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS ..... MR. RALPH L. YOKLEY

SOLO ..... MISS VIOLET PERRY

EULOGY—“Problems Solved”—  
Daniel 5:11 ..... THE REVEREND MILES M. FISHER  
Minister

RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT AT BEECHWOOD CEMETERY

## "UNTIL TOMORROW"

*According to the Eternal plan,  
The body returns to the earth as it was  
And the spirit to God who gave it,  
"Earth to earth, ashes to ashes, dust to dust;"  
But to the spirit we cry:  
"Now thou art free,  
Free from pain, sickness and sorrow.  
Free from all physical handicaps,  
Free to dream, sing, work and love.  
Free to greet old friends and new  
And see Jesus Christ,  
And to adventure with them forever  
Therefore we say,  
Goodbye, goodbye until tomorrow.*

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## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The Family expresses with deep appreciation the prayers, condolences and kind expressions of sympathy shown to them during their hours of sadness.

## GOD BLESS YOU ALL

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## IN LOVING MEMORY OF BLAND WELTON MILES, SR. 1920 - 1994



*Monday, October 24, 1994  
Wake: 6:30 p.m.  
Service: 7:00 p.m.*

Held At:

*Strowder Funeral Chapel  
818-22 East 105th Street  
Cleveland, Ohio 44108*

ELDER TOSSIE WILEY, JR., PASTOR  
Greater Christian Tabernacle Evangelistic Church  
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## Order of Service

Organ Prelude.....	<i>Music</i>
Processional.....	<i>Family and Friends</i>
Scripture.....	<i>Minister</i>
Prayer.....	<i>Minister</i>
Solo.....	<i>Randy Shipp</i>
Acknowledgements of Condolences.....	
Obituary .....	<i>"Read Silently"</i>
Solo.....	<i>Randy Shipp</i>
Eulogy.....	<i>Elder Tossie Wiley, Jr.</i>
Recessional.....	<i>The Cortege</i>

### INTERMENT

Private

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*"So now, though darkness deepens,  
I am divinely blessed,  
For come what may, within His arms,  
I rest...I sweetly rest."*

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## OBITUARY

**Bland Welton Miles, Sr.** was born in Grafton, West Virginia, March 24, 1920 to Charles M. Miles and Grace Craig Miles.

He moved to Cleveland, Ohio in the early 50's, where he married Benena Peatross and had a son, Bland W. Miles, Jr.

He later met and married Hattie Greene and resided at; 10801 Greenlawn Avenue until Mrs. Hattie Miles' death in 1992, when he moved to New York City, where he resided with his step-daughter, Laura Joyce Greene.

Bland Miles, Sr. worked for many years at LabCraft, a film processing company. He retired in 1986.

Bland Sr. closed his eyes in a never-ending sleep Monday, October 17, 1994.

He leaves behind to cherish his memory: four sisters, Mary Virginia Glaze, Joclara Link, Wanda Lee Spencer, Bobette Johnson and a brother, Arthur M. Miles; a son, Bland W. Miles, Jr. and his wife, Sandra; three grandchildren, Bland III, Troy, Tina Miles Nash and a great-granddaughter, Jenzel; two great-grandsons, Marcus and Andre'; plus many other relatives and friends.

*"He Will Be Greatly Missed!"*



Lovingly Submitted,  
The Family

~~12-19-98~~

**MILES**

John H. (Johnnie) Miles, 73, of 410 Denton St., Durham, died Monday, December 14, 1998 at his home.

Surviving are his wife, Marion G. Miles of Durham;



daughter, Carmen M. Pruitt and son-in-law, Ronald E. Pruitt of Raymore, Missouri; son, John E. Miles and

**MILES**

daughter-in-law, Dawn A. Miles of Woodbridge, VA.; son, Carlton G. Miles of the home; granddaughter, Nerissa Pruitt of Raymore, Missouri; grandsons, Parker Miles and Jordan Miles both of Woodbridge, VA.; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Saturday, December 19, 1998 at Scarborough & Hargett Chapel conducted by Rev. Luther Brooks. Burial will be in Glennview Cemetery. Visitation will be 10-11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 19, at Scarborough & Hargett Chapel.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to a charitable organization of your choice.

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**OWENS**

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**MILES** 4/23/00

Funeral service for Miss Lane-  
sha Charlene Miles, 7, of 403  
Bon Air Ave., will be held at  
noon Tuesday at First Calvary  
Baptist Church, Pastor Fredrick  
A. Davis officiating. Visitation,  
one hour prior to service. Burial,  
Glennview Memorial Park. View-



ing 10 a.m.  
- 6 p.m.  
today and  
Monday at  
Fisher Fu-  
neral Parlor.

She was  
a second  
grader at  
Camelot  
Academy.  
Surviving  
are her par-

**MILES**

ents, Charles and Dorothy L.  
Miles Jr.; brother, Charlie Miles;  
maternal grandmother, Gussie  
Langley; paternal grandmother,  
Annie Bell Flowers; and paternal  
grandfather, John Miles.

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~ Pallbearers ~

Ushers of White Rock Baptist Church  
College View District

~ Floral Bearers ~

Susie V. Norfleet Bible Class  
College View District

~ Honorary Floral Bearers ~

1200 Block, Rosewood Street Community Club  
Retired Teachers



~ Acknowledgement ~

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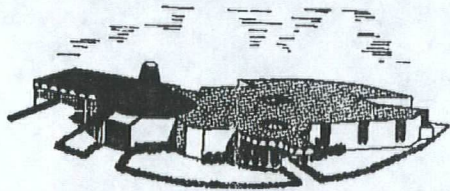
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Celebrating The Homegoing  
of  
**Mrs. Eddy Leathers Michaux**



Friday, April 25, 1997  
12:00 Noon

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

The Reverend Dr. Reginald Van Stephens, Pastor  
Officiating Minister





~ The Order of Service ~

PRELUDE ..... *The Musician*

PROCESSIONAL ..... *Musical Interlude*

SELECTION ..... *The Choir*

SCRIPTURE ..... *Appointee*  
                                     *Old Testament*  
                                     *New Testament*

PRAYER ..... *Appointee*

SELECTION ..... *The Choir*

REMARKS ..... *Please Limit To Two (2) Minutes*

RESOLUTION AND  
 ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS ..... *Appointee*

OBITUARY ..... *Please Read Silently*

SELECTION ..... *The Choir*

EULOGY ..... *The Reverend Dr. Reginald Van Stephens, Pastor*

MORTICIAN'S BRIEF ..... *The Funeral Director*

RECESSIONAL ..... *Musical Interlude*

POSTLUDE ..... *The Musician*

~ Interment ~

Glennview Memorial Park  
 2515 Apex Highway  
 Durham, North Carolina 27707

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

~ The Obituary ~

**Mrs. Eddy Leathers Michaux**, a native of Durham, North Carolina, was the daughter of the late Edward and Lucille Leathers. She received most of her early education in the Durham City Public Schools. She graduated from Hillside High School in the Class of 1935.

Her undergraduate, B. S. Degree in Elementary Education, was earned at Fayetteville State University where she graduated with honors, and her graduate, M. A. Degree in English and Education, at North Carolina Central University. She taught for thirty-eight years at East End Elementary School, Durham, North Carolina. She was named District Teacher of the Year in 1979. She held membership in the national, state and local teacher's associations.

Mrs. Michaux was a member of White Rock Baptist Church where she was affiliated with the Susie V. Norfleet Bible Class, the Committee for the Bereaved and was a Sunday School Teacher. In 1981, she was selected as a Durham Mother of the Year.

Mrs. Michaux leaves to cherish her memory and mourn her loss, her husband, Manly Francis Michaux, Sr.; a daughter, Gurnia Michaux Griffin and her husband, Bill and stepson, William; a son, Manly Francis Michaux, Jr. and his wife, Thomasena; her brothers, Lorenza Leathers, James Leathers and Robert Leathers; her sisters-in-law, Lucy T. Bryant, Rebecca Michaux and Cornelia Leathers; her brother-in-law, Bertis Michaux; several nieces, nephews, cousins, grandnieces, grandnephews and other loving relatives; devoted friends and neighbors and scores of former students.



~ The Teacher ~

*I took a piece of living clay,  
 And gently formed it day by day;  
 And molded it with power and art,  
 A young child's soft and yielding heart.*

*I came again when years were gone,  
 It was a man I looked upon;  
 He still that early impress bore,  
 And I could change that form no more.*

**The Family**

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PALLBEARERS

Nephews

FLORAL BEARERS

The Fun Club Members  
The Azalea Garden Club

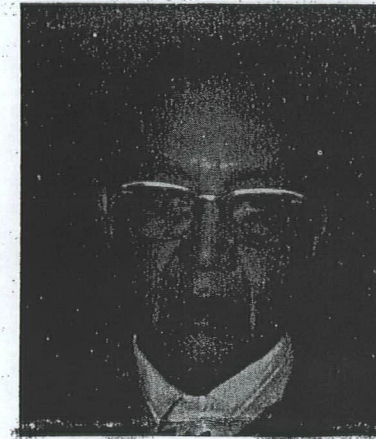
THANKS

*The FAMILY would like to thank our many friends and neighbors for their many expressions of sympathy and the kind deeds shown during this our time of bereavement.*

ARRANGEMENTS  
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In Memoriam



MR. NATHANIEL COLUMBUS MILLER

1888 — 1972

SAINT MARK A. M. E. ZION CHURCH  
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1972

2:00 P.M.

THE REVEREND L. A. MILLER, *Minister, Officiating*

--: ORDER OF SERVICE --:

--: OBITUARY --:



MR. NATHANIEL COLUMBUS MILLER, son of the late John and Phoebe Miller, was born December 9, 1888 in Randolph County, North Carolina.

He departed this life August 29, 1972 at Hill Haven Nursing Home at the age of 84.

He joined the Liberty Grove Baptist Church, Liberty Grove, North Carolina at an early age. Upon moving to Durham he joined the Emmanuel A. M. E. Church. In 1969 he transferred his membership to Saint Mark A. M. E. Zion Church.

He married Charlotte Webb in 1940.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Charlotte W. Miller; one brother, Ira Miller of Liberty Grove, North Carolina; several nieces and nephews, a host of other relatives and friends.



*God's Angels are a mighty host, who do His Holy will.  
And Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Employ them daily still.  
And none of us need ever fear. That we are left alone.  
For night and day through all the year.  
God's Angels guard His own.*

THE FAMILY



PRELUDE—"Lead, Kindly Light".....The Organist

PROCESSIONAL

FIRST HYMN #223—"Jesus Keep Me Near The Cross" —  
The Choir

SCRIPTURE READING

RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR FAMILY.....The Reverend J. R. Crutchfield, Jr.

"THE LORD'S PRAYER" — CHANTED.....The Choir

REMARKS

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS AND OBITUARY

SECOND HYMN #256—"What A Friend We Have In Jesus" —  
The Choir

EULOGY.....The Reverend L. A. Miller

RECESSIONAL — "On Jordan Stormy Banks I Stand" —  
The Organist



Interment — Beechwood Cemetery

**OFFICIANT**

Father Calvin R. Griffin, *Rector*  
Assisting Father Harmon Smith, *Ph.D.*

**MUSICIAN**

*Dr. Gene Strassler*

**LAY READERS**

Miss Mary E. Hawkins  
Dr. Cecil L. Patterson

**PALLBEARERS**

Members of St. Titus Church and  
North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company

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**Acknowledgment**

*The FAMILY appreciates all expressions of kindness and services  
rendered in their sorrow.*

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*Durham, North Carolina*

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**MASS OF THE RESURRECTION**

**A Celebration of the Holy Eucharist  
Offered in Joyful Thanksgiving For  
And In Loving Memory Of**



**Catherine Alexine Miller**

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**Saint Titus Episcopal Church**

Durham, North Carolina

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**Thursday, August 30, 1984**

11:00 AM

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## Obituary

CATHERINE ALEXINE MILLER, youngest daughter of John and Catherine Hicks Miller, died on Monday at Durham County General Hospital. A native of Goldsboro, she attended the elementary and high schools of that city. She was graduated from Durham State Normal, presently known as North Carolina Central University.

Her professional service as Assistant Secretary of Banker's Fire and Casualty Insurance Company spanned a period of 46 years. Later this company became a subsidiary of NC Mutual Life Insurance Company and she continued service with the merged company as an Administrative Assistant in the Office of the Treasurer.

She was a loyal member of St. Titus' Episcopal Church. She served as Co-Chairperson of the Membership Committee of Episcopal Churchwomen.

Left to mourn her loss are one sister, Essie M. Hall; nieces, Catherine Cooke of Goldsboro and Alice Whitley of New York; grandnieces, Yvonne Bruno and Alexene Miller of New York; a grandnephew, Jerry Cook, Jr. of Burlington; seven great-grandnieces and nephews; a host of other relatives and friends.

### JUST FOR TODAY

*Just for today, I will try to live through this day only - not to tackle my whole life's problem at once. I can do things for 12 hours that would appall me if I had to keep them up for a life time.*

*Just for today, I will try to adjust myself to what is and not try to adjust everything to my own desires. I will take my family, my business and my licks as they come and fit myself to them. Just for today, I will try to strengthen my mind. I will learn something useful. I will not be a mental loafer. I will read something that requires effort, thought and concentration.*

*Just for today, I will have a quiet hour all by myself and relax. In this half hour sometimes, I will thank God so as to get a little perspective of my life.*

## A Mass of the Resurrection

ORGAN PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN — "A Mighty Fortress" — No. 551 (Stand)

THE EPISTLE— *Roman 8:14-19, 34-35, 37-39, (Sit) ....*

*The Reverend Neal, Minister Covenant Presbyterian Church*

THE HOLY GOSPEL — *John 10:11-16 (Stand)*

THE APOSTLE'S CREED — *Prayer Book - Pg. 496 (Stand)*

THE PRAYERS — *Prayer Book - Pg. 497 (Stand)*

THE PEACE — *Prayer Book - Pg. 360 (Stand)*

HYMN — "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" - No. 458 (Stand)(2nd Tune)

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING — *Prayer Book - Pg. 361*

THE COMMUNION OF PEOPLE

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING — *Prayer Book - Pg. 498 (Stand)*

THE COMMENDATION — *Prayer Book - Pg. 499 (Stand)*

THE BLESSING AND DISMISSAL — *Prayer Book - Pg. 500 (Stand)*

\*RECESSIONAL HYMN — "O God Our Help In Ages Past" - No. 289  
(Stand)

ORGAN POSTLUDE

*\*DURING THE LAST STANZA, THE PEOPLE MAY FOLLOW THE RECESSIONAL OUT OF THE CHURCH TO THE PLACE OF INTERMENT.*

ham NC 27704.

12/8/01

### MILLER

Mrs. Charlotte Webb Miller, 101, formerly of 1927 Cecil St., departed this life Thursday, December 6, 2001. The funeral service will be held Tuesday morning at 11:00 at St. Mark AME Zion Church,



the Rev. Avery Brown, pastor. Burial will follow in Beechwood Cemetery. The body will lie in state at Burthey Funeral Chapel from 12 noon until 8:00 p.m.

Monday and at the church Tuesday morning from 10:00 until 11:00, just prior to the service.

Mrs. Miller was a member emeritus of St. Mark AME Zion Church. She is survived by her brother, John Mason of Durham. She is also survived by Rachael Richardson and Lemuria St. James-Benham, her devoted caregivers; and a host of other nieces and nephews. Arrangements by Burthey Funeral Service.

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ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

A.E. Spears, Jr.  
Howard Fitts  
Roscoe Price

Exter Gilmore  
Henry Garner  
J.S. Bolden

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Comptroller Department, North Carolina Mutual  
Life Insurance Company  
Men of Covenant United Presbyterian Church  
Men of the Rosewood Street Neighborhood

ACTIVE FLORAL BEARERS

Ruby Bolden  
Ruth Lyons

Julliet Cooper  
Evelyn Thorpe

Richealean Tucker

Women of the Covenant United Presbyterian Church

HONORARY FLORAL BEARERS

Lincoln Hospital Alumni Association

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**Acknowledgment**

*The members of the family wish to express their sincere appreciation for the many kind deeds of assistance by friends and neighbors during the illness, and for the many expressions of sympathy during their bereavement.*

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**In Memoriam**



**FELIX HICKS MILLER**

1916 - 1981

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**Covenant United Presbyterian Church**

Durham, North Carolina

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**Thursday, October 29, 1981**

11:30 A.M.

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The Reverend George F. Neal, Pastor, Officiating

## Obituary

FELIX HICKS MILLER was born February 10, 1916 in Goldsboro, North Carolina. At an early age, he moved to Durham, North Carolina where he was a graduate of Hillside High School and received the Bachelor of Science degree in Commerce from North Carolina Central University. After graduating from North Carolina Central University, he was employed by North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company. He held several positions and retired after thirty-four years as an auditor in August, 1979.

Survivors are his wife, Lelia T. Miller; his mother, Essie M. Hall; two daughters, Yvonne M. Bruno and Alexine Miller; a sister, Beulah Caldwell; an aunt, Catherine Miller; two grandchildren, Dieter and Carlos Bruno; several other relatives and friends.

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"I AM THE WAY  
SO JUST FOLLOW ME  
THOUGH THE WAY BE ROUGH  
AND YOU CANNOT SEE  
I AM THE TRUTH  
WHICH ALL MEN SEEK  
SO HEED NOT "FALSE PROPHETS"  
NOR THE WORDS THAT THEY SPEAK...  
I AM THE LIFE  
AND I HOLD THE KEY  
THAT OPENS THE DOOR  
TO ETERNITY  
AND IN THIS DARK WORLD  
I AM THE LIGHT  
TO THE PROMISED LAND  
WHERE THERE IS NO NIGHT!"

John 14:6; 8:12  
THE FAMILY

## Order of Service

- ORGAN MEDITATIONS ..... Gloria S. Timberlake
- "SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT" ..... The Choir
- PROCESSIONAL
- "GOD WILL TAKE CARE OF YOU" ..... The Choir
- PRAYER ..... Father Calvin R. Griffin
- SCRIPTURE — 121st Psalm ..... Minister
- "JUST WHEN I NEED HIM MOST" ..... Ruth Bailey
- RESOLUTION ..... Lorean Weaver
- SCRIPTURE — 23rd Psalm ..... Minister
- "HE TOUCHED ME" ..... George Williams
- SCRIPTURE — Ecclesiastes 3:1-9 ..... Minister
- "WHERE THERE IS LOVE" — Ephesians 3:14-21 ..... Beatrice Cherry
- BENEDICTION ..... Minister
- RECESSIONAL — "O Holy Savior Friend Unseen" ..... The Choir

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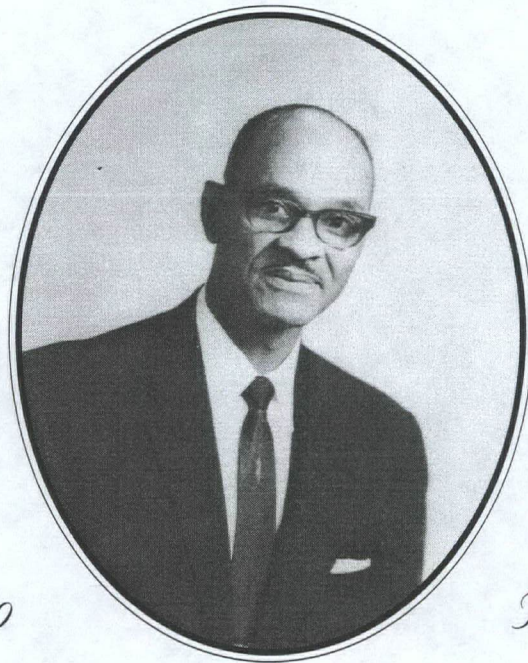
INTERMENT  
GLENNVIEW MEMORIAL PARK  
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

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DRIVERS IN THE PROCESSION PLEASE TURN ON HEADLIGHTS FOR SAFETY.



*A Witness to the Resurrection  
A Celebration of the Life  
of  
John M. "Bing" Miller, Jr.*



*June 22, 1910*

*March 5, 1995*

*I Just Want To Leave A Committed Life Behind.*

*Thursday, March 9, 1995  
4:00 pm*

**Calvary Presbyterian Church (USA)  
Wilson, North Carolina**

Reverend Ralph E. Galloway, Officiating

**Edwards Funeral Home, Directing**



## *The Obituary*

On Sunday, March 5, 1995, at 7:40 a.m., John Maxwell Miller, Jr., affectionately known as "Bing" would normally have been preparing for Sunday School. However, on this particular Sunday morning, "Bing" quietly slipped away to meet the Master of his teachings. It was at Wilson Memorial Hospital, surrounded by his loved ones, that he breathed "Amen."

This seems a fitting closing for one who lived a full life with quiet dignity and wisdom of his generation, indeed touching the lives of many others from various walks of life.

Born in Chesterfield, South Carolina, to the late Reverend and Mrs. John M. Miller, Sr., "Bing" spent his formative years at Harbison Institute in Irmo, South Carolina. He later matriculated at Johnson C. Smith University in Charlotte, N. C. and Hampton Institute in Hampton, Va.

His first teaching experience was at Spaulding High School in Spring Hope, N.C., where he taught General Science and Mathematics. He also organized and coached the school's first football team.

After completing two years of teaching and coaching at Spaulding High School, "Bing" accepted a position as General Science and Mathematics teacher and coach at Wilson High School, later to be named Charles H. Darden High School.

In 1944, he became Principal of Sam Vick Elementary School, a position he held and revered for twenty-four years. Following his principalship, he accepted a position as Associate Professor of Education and Director of Student Teaching at Claflin College in Orangeburg, South Carolina. Although he returned to Wilson after having completed six years of service at Claflin College, it was for his thirty-four years of service in North Carolina from which he retired.

A well-known citizen of Wilson since 1936, he was an active member of Calvary Presbyterian Church, where he served as an Elder, financial secretary, a member of the Men's Council, Superintendent of Sunday School, Adult Sunday School teacher, and teacher of Thursday night's Bible Study class.

He was also actively involved in community service, civic and fraternal organizations, including front desk volunteer and, most recently, as a volunteer serving in the Family Surgical Lounge at Wilson Memorial Hospital. A member of the Men's Civic Club for over forty years, he served as President, Vice-president, Secretary, Parliamentarian, and chaired several standing committees. He was a member of Mt. Hebron Masonic Lodge #42 (Past Master), a member of H.V. Brown School Masters Club, a life member of the National, State, and local Retired Teachers Association. He served on the first Wilson City Recreation Commission and The Wilson County Jury Commission.

A life member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, he was the recipient of many treasured accolades, including Sixty-Year Plus Man, Past Sixth District Representative, and Beta Beta Beta Chapter's Man of the Year.

Surviving to cherish his memory include his wife of fifty-six years, Mrs. Marian Howard Miller of the home; one sister, Mrs. Thelma Miller Odom of Wilson, N.C.; one daughter, Mrs. Sylvia Miller Anderson and one grandson, Johnny Anderson, II, both of Glendora, California; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Vosburgh of the home; two nieces: Mrs. Margaret Ismaila-Mitchell of Cleveland, Ohio and Mrs. Edna Baten and one nephew, Edward D. Baten, both of Washington, D.C., and a host of other relatives and devoted friends.

Thank you, Father, for giving us as much time together as we had. Spare us now from further pain or self-pity. We accept the fact that we have no right to expect that we can be so highly privileged as to never taste sorrow in our lifetime. This is our time to experience a cross and we do so bravely.

It is the comfort of your Holy Spirit. We praise you, our God and our Father, for your goodness and mercy.

We know that sorrow never leaves us where it finds us. We remember it is not what happens to us in life but how we react to what happens to us that is supremely important.

"Weeping may endure for the night, but joy comes in the morning." Amen

The Family

## *Acknowledgments*

Presbyterian Women  
Presbyterian Men  
Omega Psi Phi Fraternity  
Retired Teachers  
Masonic Lodge, Mt. Hebron #42  
School Masters Club

Loyal Leisure Club  
Fellow Greeks  
Former Students and Athletes  
Men's Civic Club  
Red Cross Volunteers  
Neighbors and Friends

With gratitude for services and prayers rendered.

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The family of John "Bing" Miller expresses the deepest gratitude and appreciation to the countless friends who have supported us during this period.

You telephone calls, floral tributes, cards, financial donations to Calvary Presbyterian Church Building Fund and Johnson C. Smith University and other expressions of love and sympathy have sustained us. Because you care, we acknowledge in his behalf the many kindnesses we have received. We pray God's blessings on you always.

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*Service of comfort and personal care by:*

*Edwards Funeral Home*

*805 E. Nash Street*

*Wilson, North Carolina*

*(919) 237-2624*

## No, Not One!

JOHNSON OATMAN, JR.

GEORGE C. HUGG

1. There's not a friend like the low-ly Je-sus- No, not one! no, not one!  
 2. No friend like Him is so high and ho-ly- No, not one! no, not one!  
 3. There's not an hour that He is not near us- No, not one! no, not one!  
 4. Did ev-er saint find this Friend forsake Him? No, not one! no, not one!  
 5. Was e'er a gift like the Sav-ior giv-en? No, not one! no, not one!

*Fine*

None else could heal all our souls dis-eas-es- No, not one! no, not one!  
 And yet no friend is so meek and low-ly- No, not one! no, not one!  
 No night so dark but His love can cheer us- No, not one! no, not one!  
 Or sin-ner find that He would not take him? No, not one! no, not one!  
 Will He re-fuse us a home in heav-en? No, not one! no, not one!

*D.S.* - There's not a friend like the low-ly Je-sus- No, not one! no, not one!

**CHORUS**

*D.S.*

Je-sus knows all a-bout our strug-gles, He will guide till the day is done;