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**Mrs. Cynthia "Cindy" McRae Brown**

Mrs. Cynthia "Cindy" McRae Brown, 52, died, Wednesday, February 20, 2013, at her home.

Services were held on Saturday, February 23, 2013, in the Chapel of Leavitt Funeral Home. A private interment followed in Anson Memorial Park.

Cindy was born March 10, 1960, in Anson County, the only child of the late James and Lula Henry McRae. She had worked at Anson Shirt Factory in Wadesboro.

Surviving are her husband, Bobby Brown of the home; her sons, Mitchell Hendrix of Indian Trail, Chris (Ashley) Sisk of Chesterfield, and Jackson Brown of the home; her granddaughter, Summer Sisk of Chesterfield; her step-daughters, Shannon Brown, Jamy (Bert) Phillips and Nicci Brown, all of Wadesboro; six step-grandchildren; and her aunt and uncle, Margaret and Calvin Burr of Wadesboro.

The arrangements were in care of Leavitt Funeral Home. Online condolences can be made at [leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com](http://leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com).

**Mrs. Lena Mae Hough Gregory**

Mrs. Lena Mae Hough Gregory, 81, died Thursday, February 21, 2013, at her home.

Funeral services were held on Sunday, February 24, 2013, in the Chapel of Leavitt Funeral Home with Rev. Jeff Cloud officiating. Interment followed in Anson Memorial Park.

Lena was born March 18, 1931, in Anson County, a daughter of the late Jasper Harmon Hough and Mary Braswell Hough. She was retired from Zimmer Manufacturing with 27 years of service.

Surviving are her children, Ray. T. Gregory, Jr. (Jackie) of Locust, Susan Gregory Short (David) of Asheboro, Cindy Gregory Missbach (Michael) of Tobaccoville, and David Ross Gregory (Suzanne) of Monroe; her sister, Betty Hardison (Mac) of Wadesboro; eleven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her husband, Ray T. Gregory, Sr. and by a son, Mark Edward Gregory.

The family would like to express their heartfelt gratitude to their Aunt Betty for her love and devotion to their mother and her sister, most especially for her daily visits.

Also, a special thank you to her caregivers, Rita Alexander, Emogene Cash, Jackie Cash Little, Verica Sturdivant, Mary Sturdivant, Fran Pratt-Smith, Flora Maske, Brenda Teal Wallace and Joyce Johnson, and special friends, Ashleigh Hardison and Sheila Sikes for their loving support of Lena over the years and recently during her declining health.

The family will remain forever grateful to Hospice of Union County and Anson Community Hospital for their exemplary service and med-

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ical care provided for their mother.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice of Union County, McWhorter Hospice House, 700 W. Roosevelt Blvd., Monroe, NC 28110.

**Mrs. Lizzie Simpson Nance**

Mrs. Lizzie Simpson Nance, 95, passed away on February 22, 2013, at Autumn Care of Marshville.

Funeral Services were held on Sunday, February 24, 2013, at New Home Baptist Church. Burial followed in the New Home Baptist Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Nance was the daughter of the late Charlie and Glennie Mills Simpson. She was preceded in death by her husband, James David Nance; children, Johnny Nance and Helen N. Davis; a grandson; Huey Jordan; and two great grandchildren, Ronald Jordan and Lucas Nance.

She is survived by her sons, Glenn Nance (Annette) of Marshville, Atlas Nance (Shirley) of Peachland and Henry Nance (Betty) of Marshville; daughters, Mary Deese (Gene) of Marshville, Bonnie Edwards (Jimmy) of Polkton and Marie Baucom (Allan) of Monroe; daughter-in-law, Loretta V. Nance of Marshville; 22 grandchildren; 60 great grandchildren; and 16 great-great grandchildren.

Memorial made to Hospice of Union County, 700 West Roosevelt Blvd., Monroe, NC 28112 or Autumn Care of Marshville, 311 West Phifer Street, Marshville, NC 28103.

For online condolences visit [morganandsonfuneralhome.com](http://morganandsonfuneralhome.com).

**Mrs. Nancy Renee Jacobs Polston**

Mrs. Nancy Renee Jacobs Polston, 37, died Friday, February 15, 2013, at Kindred Transitional Care in Monroe.

Funeral services were held on Monday, February 18, 2013, in the Chapel of Leavitt Funeral Home with Rev. Tommy McKenzie officiating. Interment followed in Anson Memorial Park.

Renee was born in Anson County on July 9, 1975, a daughter of Barney Gene Jacobs and the late Rebecca Ann Canipe Parks. She was a loving mother and will be missed dearly.

Surviving are her husband, Ronnie Polston of Cheraw; her children, Ashley Renee Polston and Zachary Polston of Lilesville; her father, Barney Gene Jacobs of Lilesville; her sister, Lynn Parrisher of Rockingham; and her niece and nephew.

Memorials may be made to the Renee Polston Family Fund, P.O. Box 274, Wadesboro, NC 28170.

The arrangements were in care of Leavitt Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at [leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com](http://leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com).

**Mr. Jimmy Martin Hough**

Mr. Jimmy Martin Hough, 79, died Sunday, February 24, 2013, at his home.

A Memorial service will be held at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, February 27, 2013, in the Chapel of Leavitt Funeral Home with Chis Jackson officiating.

The family will greet friends one hour prior to the service at the funeral home and other times at the home.

Jimmie was born Sep-

tember 17, 1933, in Anson County, a son of the late Preston Linwood Hough and Elvira McCormick Hough. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, William Linwood Hough.

He had worked in the wholesale grocery business for many years, having worked for both the Allen Bennett Company and M. H. McLean. Prior to his retirement he owned and operated Jimmy's Superette in Cason's Old Field for more than 25 years. He was a veteran of the United States Air Force, having served during the Korean Conflict.

Surviving are his wife, Jeanette Morris Hough of the home; his children, David Hough of Salt Lake City, UT, Carolyn Hough of Maryland, Ricky (April) Hough of Polkton and Tammy (Mike) Hough Johnson of Wadesboro; his grandchildren, Magan (Kyle Blakely) Honeycutt, Amber Honeycutt, Ricky Hough, Jr. and Steven Johnson; and his great-grandchildren, Hailey Biles, Kylee Blakely, Jamarion Hough, Makayla and Alissa Johnson.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Anson Community Hospice, 1119 N US Highway 1, Rockingham, NC 28379.

The arrangements are in care of Leavitt Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at [leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com](http://leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com).

**Robert "Bobby" Eugene Little, III**

Robert "Bobby" Eugene Little, III passed away peacefully on Monday, February 18, 2013, in Charlotte at Carolinas Medical Center after a year-long battle with cancer.

A memorial service was held on Saturday, February 23, 2013, at Calvary Episcopal Church.

He was the son of the late Robert E. Little, Jr. and the late Rosa Leak Parsons.

Bobby graduated from UNC Business School in 1956 and UNC School of Law in June 1958. He joined the U.S. Air Force as a Captain in 1959, and was assigned the 2586 Air Base Squadron at Miami International Airport in Florida. Later he was posted to Incerlik Air Base near Adana, Turkey. He returned to Wadesboro in 1962 and opened his law firm.

He was preceded in death by his second wife, Ann Sparrow York and his sister, Rosa Little Porte. He is survived by his two children, Anne Bennett Little McCafferty (Douglas) of Los Gatos, California and Walter Leake Parsons Little of San Francisco, California; a grandson, Andrew Bennett Davidson Little, also of San Francisco; a sister, Mary Bennett Little of Wadesboro; and stepchildren, Clarisa York Bryant of Gastonia and Susan York Hinkle of Winston Salem.

In lieu of flowers the family has asked that donations be made to Anson County Community Economic Support Services (ACCESS) Community Development Corporation, P.O. Box 1401, Wadesboro, NC, 28170.

The arrangements were in care of Leavitt Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at [leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com](http://leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com).

**Mrs. Patsy Gullede Jordan**

Mrs. Patsy Gullede Jordan, 76, died peacefully Wednesday, February 20, 2013, at her home.

Funeral services were held on Friday, February 22, 2013, at Mt. Beulah Baptist Church with Rev. Donald Wallace and Rev. Teddy Lawson officiating. Interment followed in the church cemetery.

Patsy was born February 5, 1937, in Anson County, a daughter of the late John William and Beatrice Quick Gullede. She was a textile retiree having worked with Hornwood and Chic Hosiery. A dedicated member of Mt. Beulah Baptist Church, she had served as a Sunday school teacher and sang in the choir.

Surviving are her husband of 60 years, Cleveland Jordan, Jr. of the home; her children, Cheri (Ronnie) Tyson of Wadesboro, Terry (Becky) Jordan of Lilesville and Karen (Jim) MacNulty of Mocksville; her brother, Vance (Pat) Gullede of Lilesville; her sister-in-law, Nancy Gullede of Lilesville; ten grandchildren; and fifteen great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a son and daughter, Mark Davy Jordan and Susan Harrington and by a brother and sister, Billy Gullede, Jr. and Betty Boling.

Patsy will be remembered as a loving and faithful wife, mother, grandmother, sister and aunt. Her grandchildren affectionately called her "Honey." She was also well-known for her collection of angels. Her yard looked like an "angel garden" and her home was beautifully decorated with her collection as well.

I've almost gained my heavenly home, my spirit loudly sings; the holy ones, behold, they come I hear the sound of wings. Oh come, angel band, come and around me stand; Oh, bear me away on your snow white wings, to my immortal home, oh, bear me away on your snow white wings to my immortal home.

Memorials may be made to Mt. Beulah Baptist Church, Cemetery Fund, 3373 Country Club Rd., Wadesboro, NC 28170.

The arrangements were in care of Leavitt Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at [leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com](http://leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com).

**Mr. David Alan Taylor**

Mr. David Alan Taylor, 51, died Monday, February 18, 2013, in Providence Hospital, Columbia, SC.

Funeral services were held on Friday, February 22, 2013, in Hopewell United Methodist Church in Peachland.

David was born in Lau-

rens County, SC on April 2, 1961, a son of the late James Guy Taylor and Rosa Estelle Wright Taylor. He had worked for both Standard Products Co. and Plastex Supply Co., and more recently for Trane, Inc.

Survivors include his brothers, John Timothy Taylor of Wellford, SC, Joseph Christopher Taylor of Greenville, SC, and Marshall Taylor of Clinton, SC; and a sister, Jamie Rose Taylor of Atlanta, GA

Leavitt Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be made at [leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com](http://leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com).

**Mrs. Carol M. Smith**

Mrs. Carol M. Smith of Fayetteville passed away on February 19, 2013, at Open Arms Nursing Home in Rae-

ford, NC. There will be a private family service. Carol was born in Gowanda, NY on October 30, 1929, and moved to Wadesboro as a young girl where she finished high school. She attended Appalachian State Teachers College and later taught school in the Fayetteville School System for more than 30 years. She was a long time member of Highland Presbyterian Church where she sang in the choir. Carol has been in failing health for the past few years.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Ross and Hilda Milks. She is survived by a sister, Addie Yandle of Charlotte; a son, Jeffrey Smith (Lisa) of Rockingham; a daughter, Heather Jones (Craig) of Fayetteville; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

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Soul Street Dance Company of Houston, Texas, brings their newest concert, *Breakin' Backwards*, to the Ansonia Theatre in Wadesboro on Tuesday, March 12, at 7 p.m. Four male street dancers will perform their special contemporary mix of choreography to the most popular music of the decades. Soul Street Dance appeals to all ages and all ethnicities and cultures. Doors will open at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$10. Reserve seats by calling the Arts Council at 704-694-4950.

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