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Mrs. Mary H. Gill



Mrs. Mary Gill, age 100, of Charlotte, passed away Friday, November 30, 2012, at The Little Flower Assisted Living Center.

The family will receive friends at a visitation held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, December 5, 2012, at McEwen Funeral Services, 5716 Monroe Road, Charlotte, NC. The funeral service will follow at 2 p.m. There will be a reception following the service.

A graveside service will be held in Bennett Grove Cemetery in Wadesboro, at 2 p.m. on Thursday, December 6, 2012.

Mrs. Gill was born October 14, 1912, in Wadesboro. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, W.T. (John) Gill; brothers, James Hutchison and Benjamin Hutchison; sister, Frances Smith; and grandchild, Adam Gill.

Mrs. Gill, a registered nurse, graduated from Mercy Hospital School of Nursing in 1934.

Surviving are her sons, John Gill and his wife Barbara Guthrie, and Charles Gill; grandchildren, Jeremy Gill and Jason Gill; great grandchildren, Waylon Gill, Julian Gill and Martin Gill; brother, Richard Hutchison; sisters-in-law, Lucille Wise and Coleen Gill; and other numerous loving family.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to The Little Flower, 8700 Lawyers Road, Charlotte, NC, 28227, where "Miss Mary" was so lovingly cared for during her final years.

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Obituaries

Mr. Pernell Edward Harris

Mr. Pernell Edward Harris, 47, departed his life on Monday, November 26, 2012, at Hospice of Union County in Monroe.

Funeral services were held on Friday, November 30, 2012, at Greater St. Mark Church of Deliverance with Apostle Leonard Williams officiating. Interment followed at Westview Memorial Park.

Pernell was born February 16, 1965, in Anson County, a son of Effie Rosa Lee Forte and Robert Harris. He was better known as "Flintstone" and was a jack of all trades, a great helper to his family, community and friends. It is said he never met a stranger.

He leaves to cherish his memories his mother and father, both of Wadesboro; three sisters, Alice H. (Jonathan) Clegg, Rosalyn Harris, and Effie G. (Everette) Williams; four brothers, Robbie M. Harris, Vernon L. Harris, Jermaine Harris and Al Grant (LaQuita) Collins, all of Wadesboro; and a host of nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, uncles, aunts, cousins and many friends.

The arrangements were in care of Leavitt Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com.

Mr. Allan Maynard Poplin

Mr. Allan Maynard Poplin, 91, died Monday, November 26, 2012, at Carolinas Medical Center Union in Monroe.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, November 29, 2012, at Lilesville Baptist Church with Rev. Teddy Lawson officiating. Interment follow in Lilesville Cemetery.

Allan was born September 20, 1921, in Anson County, a son of the late James Thomas Poplin and the late Betty Elizabeth Liles Poplin.

He was retired from Provident Mutual Life Insurance Company. He was a member of Lilesville Baptist Church. He was a veteran of the United States Navy, having served during World War II.

Surviving are his children, Allan (Monica) Poplin of Palmerton, PA, Linda Lester of Mt. Pleasant, SC and Michael Poplin of Hamlet; his twin sister, Allie Mae McCormick of Peachland; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Willie Broome Poplin.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Lilesville Cemetery Fund, c/o Donna McAllister, P.O. Box 226, Lilesville, NC 28091.

The arrangements were in care of Leavitt Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com.

Mr. William "Bill" Thurman Tarleton

Mr. William "Bill" Thurman Tarleton passed away on November 27, 2012.

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. on Friday, December 7, 2012, in San Juan del Rio Catholic Church of Saint Johns, FL.

Bill was born on January 21, 1942, in Wadesboro to parents Harold and Martha Tarleton. He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Karen. He served in the Air Force for four years. After moving to Jacksonville, Florida Bill's career included over 25 years with IBM before joining Bank of America, where he had continued until his death. Bill was a member of San Juan del Rio Catholic Church and was very involved with the Knights of Columbus, Eucharistic Ministry. He volunteered much of his time and talent to the church. Bill will be dearly missed by all who knew him through work, church, and other areas. He will be remembered as a devoted, caring and generous friend who was always there in any

Mr. David Jefferson Crowell, Jr.

Mr. David Jefferson Crowell, Jr., 69, died Thursday, November 29, 2012, at The Brian Center in Monroe.

Services were held on Sunday, December 2, 2012, by the graveside in Red Hill Baptist Church Cemetery with Rev. Norm Jones officiating.

Jeff was born December 11, 1942, in Union County, a son of the late David Jefferson Crowell and Ethel DePass Crowell.

He was a graduate of Monroe High School, the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and the Medical University of South Carolina at Charleston. He was a physician's assistant and owned and operated West Anson Medical Clinic in Polkton for 25 years. He later worked with Wadesboro Primary Care. He also worked as an emergency room physician at Carolinas Medical Center Union.

Jeff was a retired member of Anson Rescue Squad where he had served as captain. It was while working with the rescue squad, Jeff's interest and love of medicine became evident. He also enjoyed antiques and was a true historian, having a great interest in the Civil War. He was active with the Anson County Historical Society.

"Dr. Crowell" will be remembered for his caring bedside manner and compassion, and was revered as a good medicine man.

Surviving are his wife, Harriett Hyatt Crowell of the home; his daughters, Cathy Reynolds (Ryan) of Pawley's Island, SC and Dede Crowell of Apex; his stepchildren, Tiffany Ingold and her son, Landon of Lilesville and Nick Ingold of Wadesboro; his sister, Margaret Crowell of Winslow, ME; and his loving and devoted Dachshund, Molly.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Red Hill Baptist Church, Brotherhood Ministry, c/o Teresa Wilson, 1104 Mt. Vernon Rd., Wadesboro, NC 28170.

The arrangements were in care of Leavitt Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jean Beachum Freeman

Mrs. Elizabeth Jean Beachum Freeman, 77, died Friday, November 30, 2012, at Ambassador Health and Rehab in Wadesboro.

Services were held on Sunday, December 2, 2012, by the graveside in Cedar Grove Baptist Church Cemetery.

50+ Club Meeting

The Hampton B. Allen Library's 50+ Club will meet on Monday, December 10 in the Little Theatre at 10:30 a.m. The band Nighthawk, with members, Jennifer Gilmore Bowers, Gary Gilmore, Gary Young and Vincent Gilmore, will be presenting a musical program. For more information please call 704-694-5177.

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