

## *Descendants of James Godwin*

### *Generation No. 1*

1. JAMES<sup>1</sup> GODWIN was born Abt. 1748 in Sampson County, North Carolina, and died Abt. Mar 1801 in Sampson County, North Carolina. He married ELIZABETH DAWSON. She was born Abt. 1747 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for JAMES GODWIN:  
Sampson Co., Court Minutes, 1800-1810

2 November 1802, Tuesday

GUARDIAN: Charles (Silas) Godwin, about 18 (16-17), Allen Godwin, about 16 (14-15), and Wiley Godwin, about 14 (12-13), all minor children of James Godwin, dec'd, came into court and prayed leave to choose their guardian. Joseph Dawson was chosen and approved by the court. Bond was set at 600 pounds. Securities were Nathan Godwin and Benjamin Dorman.

Notes for ELIZABETH DAWSON:  
Sampson Co., Court Minutes, 1800-1810

12 May 1801, Tuesday

GODWIN ESTATE: Mrs. Elizabeth Godwin came into court and prayed administration on the estate of James Godwin, dec'd, which was granted. Ordered that her bond be 1000 pounds. She offered for securities Nathan Godwin and Joseph Dawson who were approved.

GODWIN ESTATE: Ordered that Sherrod Holley, Esquire, Lewis Jackson, Thomas Bullard and Joseph Dawson be a committee to lay off to Elizabeth Godwin, the widow of James Godwin, dec'd, 12 month's provisions and report back. Also ordered that Mrs. Godwin sell the residue of the estate as required by law. Then she was qualified as administrator and returned into the court an inventory of her husband's estate.

10 August 1801, Monday

GODWIN ESTATE: Richard Godwin produced to this court a report made by Sherrod Holley, James Dawson and Thomas Bullard saying that the widow of James Godwin, dec'd, should be allowed 15 barrels of corn, 340 lbs, of bacon, some peas, 1 cow, 2 two year old heifers, and 5 three year old hogs. He also returned into court the account of sales of the estate.

9 February 1802, Tuesday

GODWIN ESTATE: Ordered Abraham Naylor, Joseph Dawson and Lewis Jackson be a committee to settle the estate of J. Godwin, dec'd, and value the property the heirs have received, and divide the residue among the heirs.

4 May 1802, Tuesday

GODWIN ESTATE: Joseph Dawson returned into court the amount of the estate of James

Godwin, dec'd, which is 623 pounds, and each child's share ascertained.

7 February 1803, Monday

GODWIN ESTATE: Ordered Nathan Godwin, William Godwin, Hardy Draughon, George Draughon and Jesse Dawson be a committee to divide the lands of James Godwin, dec'd, among his lawful representatives, and the county surveyor have notice of the same.

2 May 1803, Monday

GODWIN ESTATE: Ordered that the order of the last court to divide the lands of James Godwin, dec'd, be continued. Ordered the sheriff summons 12 good and lawful men to convene on the premises to lay off to the widow her dower of land that her husband died seized and possessed of.

2 August 1803, Tuesday

GODWIN ESTATE: Benjamin Dorman came into court and returned a report on division of the estate of James Godwin, dec'd.

3 August 1803, Wednesday

GODWIN ESTATE: Col. David Dodd produced to the court a report for the dower of land for Elizabeth Godwin, widow of James Godwin, dec'd, to wit: 283 and 1/3 acres is her dower of all the land belonging to her husband.

8 November 1803, Tuesday

COMMITTEE PAID: Ordered that Joseph Dawson, Jonathan Godwin and John Godwin be allowed 8 shillings each for laying off the land of James Godwin, dec'd, among his lawful representatives.

9 November 1803, Wednesday

GODWIN ESTATE: Ordered George Draughon be paid 8 shillings per day for 3 days spent in dividing the lands of James Godwin, dec'd, among his heirs.

15 May 1804, Tuesday

GODWIN ESTATE: Ordered Daniel Williams be allowed 4 pounds for 4 days attendance in surveying and dividing the lands of James Godwin, dec'd.

Children of JAMES GODWIN and ELIZABETH DAWSON are:

- i. AARON<sup>2</sup> GODWIN, b. Abt. 1766, Sampson County, North Carolina; m. SYLVIA "LISBA" BRYAN, 22 Aug 1789, Johnston County, North Carolina; b. Abt. 1767; d. 1830, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for AARON GODWIN:  
Sampson Co., Court Minutes, 1800-1810

7 February 1803, Monday

CHILD: Aaron Godwin came into court as he was bound to do to execute a bond to keep a bastard child begotten by him on the body of Elizabeth Blalock from becoming in any way charged to the county. Bond was set at 200 pounds

with Benjamin Jones as security.

13 May 1805, Monday

CHILD: Ordered that Elizabeth Blalock be allowed 50 shillings per year for keeping a bastard child begotten on her body by Aaron Godwin. Ordered he pay annually for 7 years commencing May court term 1802.

Marriage Notes for AARON GODWIN and SYLVIA BRYAN:

Bride: Lisba Bryan  
Groom: Aaron Godwin  
Bond Date: 22 Aug 1789  
County: Johnston  
Record #: 01 078  
Bondsman: William Bryan  
Bond #: 000067885

More About AARON GODWIN and SYLVIA BRYAN:

Marriage: 22 Aug 1789, Johnston County, North Carolina

- ii. RACHEL GODWIN, b. Abt. 1768; m. JOHN WATSON.
- iii. ELIAS GODWIN, b. Abt. 1771; d. Washington County, Georgia; m. NANCY WATKINS.
- iv. WILLIAM GODWIN, b. Abt. 1773, Sampson County, North Carolina; d. 1846, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. WINIFRED FARRABEE.
2. v. JAMES GODWIN, JR., b. Abt. 1775, Sampson County, North Carolina; d. 1855, Johnston County, North Carolina.
3. vi. RHODA GODWIN, b. Abt. 1778; d. 28 Feb 1864, Pike County, Alabama.
- vii. SILVA "SILVEY" GODWIN, b. Abt. 1781; d. Abt. 1856; m. DAVID BEAMAN, 12 Nov 1800, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for SILVA GODWIN and DAVID BEAMAN:

Bride: Silvy Godwin  
Groom: David Beaman  
Bond Date: 12 Nov 1800  
County: Johnston  
Record #: 01 023  
Bondsman: James Carrell  
Witness: R. Sanders  
Bond #: 000066979

More About DAVID BEAMAN and SILVA GODWIN:

Marriage: 12 Nov 1800, Johnston County, North Carolina

- viii. MALITIA "MILLEY" GODWIN, b. Abt. 1783; d. Abt. 1850, Alabama; m. REUBEN SMITH.
- ix. CHARLES SILAS GODWIN, b. Abt. 1786, Sampson County, North Carolina; m. ELIZABETH STEVENS.
- 4. x. ALLEN GODWIN, b. 11 Mar 1788, Sampson County, North Carolina; d. 28 Aug 1872, Blue Mt., Tippah County, MS.
- xi. WILEY GODWIN, b. Abt. 1790.

*Generation No. 2*

2. JAMES<sup>2</sup> GODWIN, JR. (*JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1775 in Sampson County, North Carolina, and died 1855 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married SALLY SARAH STEVENS. She was born Abt. 1779 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for JAMES GODWIN, JR.:  
WILL OF JAMES GODWIN

Johnston Co., NC Will Book 5, page 73

I James Godwin of the county of Johnston state of N.C. being of sound mind & memory but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make & declare this my last will & testament in manner & form following -

1st - That my executor hereinafter named shall provide for body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my relations & friends and pay all expenses together with my just debts however & whomsoever owing out of the money first come into his hands as part or parcel of my estate -

Item - I give my beloved wife Sally all of my perishable property of inheritance to have and hold during her natural life and at her decease be equally divided between her 4 daughters Mary, Elizabeth, Sarah, and Margaret.

Item - I give my eldest son Stephenson fifty cts current money.

Item - I give my son Willie 50 cts current money.

Item - I give my son Peter 50 cts current money.

Item - I give my son Benjamin 50 cts current money.

Lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend Benj Woodard my lawful executor to this my last will & testament, hereby revoking & declaring utterly void all former wills by me heretofore made. In witness I hereto set my hand & seal this 22nd day of July A. D. 1857.

James X Godwin (Seal)

(Wit)  
A Coates

Source: Book "North Carolina Century Farms - 100 Years of Continuous Agricultural Heritage" by North Carolina Department of Agriculture

#### THE GODWIN FARM (JOHNSTON)

The beginning crops were cotton, corn and peas. To get seed for the new cotton crop, each person picked out their shoe full of seed, both children and adults. The family made shoes from deer hides and cloth from cotton produced on the farm. The crops were grown on lowland without any fertilizer.

The original home built in the 1830s was for Jordan Godwin. The J. J. Godwin (Richard) old house which was built in 1899 is still being used as a home. The 1907 house was built for Moose Godwin, and is now used for storage.

During the Civil War the family kept a lookout from the upstairs porch for Yankees. They would hide the horses and mules in the woods and also bury their meat so the Yankees could not find it. An old slave lady told that the Yankees tore down the local church and used materials to build a bridge over the little river. After the war, the people rebuilt the church (Old Beulah) which exists and is used today.

The original owner, James Godwin, was born in 1775. Jordan Godwin was born on April 26, 1806. Ransom Godwin was born in 1836. Jordan (J.J. or Richard) Godwin was born in 1861. The present owner is William Paul Godwin, born August 15, 1911.

Jordan's homeplace was built in 1830. The house consisted of two rooms with two fireplaces downstairs, two rooms with two fireplaces upstairs and one room with one fireplace out back. The family cooked in the fireplace. The home had a porch on the front and on the front of the second story. Vandals destroyed the homeplace in December 1986 by fire. Submitted by William Paul Godwin

Children of JAMES GODWIN and SALLY STEVENS are:

- i. MARY<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, b. Abt. 1805, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. Aft. 1880.
5. ii. STEPHENSON A. GODWIN, b. 1810, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. Bef. 1896.
6. iii. ELIZABETH GODWIN, b. Abt. 1812, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- iv. SARAH GODWIN, b. Abt. 1814, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- v. MARGARET GODWIN, b. Abt. 1816, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. FREDERICK POOL.
- vi. WILLIE GODWIN, b. Abt. 1816, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 1841; m. HARRIET FLOWERS, 18 Feb 1836.

Marriage Notes for WILLIE GODWIN and HARRIET FLOWERS:

Bride: Harriet Flowers  
Groom: Willie Godwin  
Bond Date: 18 Feb 1836  
County: Johnston  
Record #: 01 079  
Bondsman: Elijah Godwin  
Witness: Thos. Rice  
Bond #: 000067902

More About WILLIE GODWIN and HARRIET FLOWERS:  
Marriage: 18 Feb 1836

7. vii. PETER GODWIN, b. Abt. 1819, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. Abt. 1891.
8. viii. BENJAMIN GODWIN, b. 1821, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 1859, Johnston County, North Carolina.

3. RHODA<sup>2</sup> GODWIN (*JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1778, and died 28 Feb 1864 in Pike County, Alabama. She married (1) ABRAHAM BEAMAN, son of ABRAHAM BEAMAN and ELIZABETH DAGE. She married (2) ALLEN WATKINS. She married (3) ABRAHAM BEAMAN Abt. 1793, son of ABRAHAM BEAMAN. He was born Abt. 1774 in Rowan County, North Carolina, and died 1848 in Pike County, Alabama.

More About ABRAHAM BEAMAN and RHODA GODWIN:  
Marriage: Abt. 1793

Child of RHODA GODWIN and ABRAHAM BEAMAN is:

- i. BRIANT<sup>3</sup> BEAMAN.

Children of RHODA GODWIN and ABRAHAM BEAMAN are:

- ii. BRIANT<sup>3</sup> BEAMAN, b. Abt. 1798.
- iii. MILES BEAMAN, b. Abt. 1799.
- iv. ABRAHAM BEAMAN, JR., b. Abt. 1801.
- v. OLIVER BEAMAN, b. Abt. 1802.
- vi. URIAH BEAMAN, b. Abt. 1803.
- vii. CATHERINE BEAMAN, b. Abt. 1805.
- viii. ELIZABETH BEAMAN, b. Abt. 1806.

4. ALLEN<sup>2</sup> GODWIN (*JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 11 Mar 1788 in Sampson County, North Carolina, and died 28 Aug 1872 in Blue Mt., Tippah County, MS. He married (1) POLLY GREEN 15 Feb 1809 in Cumberland County, North Carolina. He married (2) MARTHA REYNOLDS Abt. 1822. She was born 1804, and died 1892 in Tennessee.

Notes for ALLEN GODWIN:

Military Service: 1 Oct 1814 War of 1812

Military Unit: Co G, 5th Reg of NC Militia, Inf

More About ALLEN GODWIN:

Burial: Godwin Cemetery, Tippah County, MS

Marriage Notes for ALLEN GODWIN and POLLY GREEN:

Bride: Polly Green

Groom: Allan Godwin

Bond Date: 15 Feb 1809

County: Cumberland

Record #: 01 103

Bondsman: David Beeman

Witness: Robinson Mumfor

Bond #: 000032431

More About ALLEN GODWIN and POLLY GREEN:

Marriage: 15 Feb 1809, Cumberland County, North Carolina

More About ALLEN GODWIN and MARTHA REYNOLDS:

Marriage: Abt. 1822

Children of ALLEN GODWIN and POLLY GREEN are:

- i. JOHN ALLEN<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, b. Abt. 1815, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- ii. PENNIE GODWIN, b. Abt. 1817, Georgia.
- iii. CALVIN G. GODWIN, b. 1818, Georgia.

Children of ALLEN GODWIN and MARTHA REYNOLDS are:

- iv. JACOB G.<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, b. 08 Feb 1824, Montgomery County, North Carolina.
- v. LEVI SIMMONS GODWIN, b. 15 Apr 1825, Montgomery County, North Carolina; d. 1886, Tippah County, MS.
- vi. ALEXANDER GODWIN, b. Abt. 1829, Montgomery County, North Carolina.
- vii. ELISHA HOUSTON GODWIN, b. 1832, Montgomery County, North Carolina.
- viii. ELI P. GODWIN, b. 1834, Montgomery County, North Carolina.
- ix. LUCINDA PAROLEE GODWIN, b. 25 Dec 1836, McNairy County, Tennessee.
- x. ELIJAH A. GODWIN, b. 06 Oct 1839, McNairy County, Tennessee.
- xi. AKERIAL H. "ARCHROL" GODWIN, b. 1841, Tennessee.
- xii. LATITIA FRANCES GODWIN, b. Abt. 1843, Tippah County, Mississippi.

### *Generation No. 3*

**5.** STEPHENSON A.<sup>3</sup> GODWIN (*JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1810 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died Bef. 1896. He married ELIZABETH "LIZZIE" FLOWERS. She was born 23 Feb 1810, and died Jan 1896.

More About STEPHENSON A. GODWIN:

Occupation: Cooper

Notes for ELIZABETH "LIZZIE" FLOWERS:  
Smithfield Herald

Obit. ID: 20443

Name (Age): GODWIN, Lizzie

Obit. Pub. Date: 01/02/1896

Other Pub. Info.: b. 23 Feb 1810, wid/o Stephen Godwin, Simon Jones burying ground,  
Clayton Twp.

More About ELIZABETH "LIZZIE" FLOWERS:

Burial: Simon Jones Burying Ground

Children of STEPHENSON GODWIN and ELIZABETH FLOWERS are:

9.
  - i. EMERLINE<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, b. 1832; d. 1907.
  - ii. JACOB GODWIN, b. Abt. 1833.
  - iii. JAMES GODWIN, b. Abt. 1833.
  - iv. SUSAN GODWIN, b. Abt. 1835.
  - v. SAMANTHY GODWIN, b. Abt. 1836.
10.
  - vi. AVERA E. GODWIN, b. 13 Jun 1840; d. 08 Dec 1922.
  - vii. WILLIAM B. GODWIN, b. Abt. 1843.
  - viii. SARAH E. GODWIN, b. Abt. 1845.
  - ix. PENELOPE P. GODWIN, b. Abt. 1847.
11.
  - x. PINKNEY P. GODWIN, b. Abt. 1848.
  - xi. MARY C. GODWIN, b. Abt. 1853.

**6.** ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> GODWIN (*JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1812 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married BENJAMIN JOHNSON 24 May 1834 in Cumberland County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for ELIZABETH GODWIN and BENJAMIN JOHNSON:

Bride: Elizabeth Godwin

Groom: Benjamin Johnson

Bond Date: 24 May 1834

County: Cumberland

Record #: 01 142

Bondsman: Duncan McLeran

Witness: Archd McLean, Jr

Bond #: 000033063

More About BENJAMIN JOHNSON and ELIZABETH GODWIN:

Marriage: 24 May 1834, Cumberland County, North Carolina

Child of ELIZABETH GODWIN and BENJAMIN JOHNSON is:

12.
  - i. MARY ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> JOHNSON, b. Abt. 1838, North Carolina.



7. PETER<sup>3</sup> GODWIN (*JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1819 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died Abt. 1891. He married ELIZABETH ? Abt. 1844. She was born Apr 1830.

Notes for PETER GODWIN:

WILL OF PETER GODWIN

State of North Carolina Johnston County

I Peter Godwin of the county and state aforesaid being of sound mind and memory but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say 1st That my executor hereafter named shall provide for my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my relations and friends and pay all funeral expenses together with my just debts howsoever and to whomsoever owing out of the first money that may come into his hands as a part or parcel of my estate. I give and devise to my beloved wife 110 acres of land to be set out by notes and bonds so as to include my entire tract of land and dwelling houses where we now live and all other improvements to have and to hold to her the said Elizabeth Godwin for and during her natural life with five hundred dollars in money with what now agrd papers that I now hold with all my personal property to wit all my household and kitchen furniture with all this stack corn and fodder and provision that I may have on my plantation and after her decease I bequeath to my beloved daughters all that may be left after her death to Effa M. Johnson, Gilly A. Parrish, Bettie F. Dixon, Imna? McGee, Hester A. Byrd.

My Will and desire is that if there shall be any money personal property or real estate left after providing for my wife sustenance during her natural life that it shall be equally divided between heirs with the exception of five dollars that I bequeath to my beloved son R. B. Godwin and to H. W. Godwin my son I bequeath to him five dollars and to the heirs of Kissey Ennis? five dollars I bequeath to them to be equally divided between them and lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend J. B. Hardee my lawful executor to all intents and purposes intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other wills and testaments by me heretofore made. In witness whereof I the said Peter Godwin do herewith set my hand and seal this 20 day March 1891.

Peter Godwin (seal)  
(his mark)

Signed sealed published and declared by the said Peter Godwin to be his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

Lynn Matthews ) Witnesses  
David Barnes )

More About PETER GODWIN and ELIZABETH ?:  
Marriage: Abt. 1844

Children of PETER GODWIN and ELIZABETH ? are:

13.
  - i. KISIAH<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, b. 15 Jun 1845, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 08 Jul 1888, Johnston County, North Carolina.
  - ii. EFFIE M. GODWIN, b. Abt. 1847; m. THOMAS JEFFERSON JOHNSON, 16 Feb 1879, Johnston County, North Carolina; b. 20 Aug 1858, North Carolina.

More About EFFIE M. GODWIN:

Burial: Johnson Family Cemetery, Live Oak Road, Coats, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About THOMAS JEFFERSON JOHNSON:

Burial: Johnson Family Cemetery, Live Oak Road, Coats, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About THOMAS JOHNSON and EFFIE GODWIN:

Marriage: 16 Feb 1879, Johnston County, North Carolina

14.
  - iii. RICHARD BRYANT GODWIN, b. Aug 1850; d. Bef. 1931.
15.
  - iv. HAYWOOD W. GODWIN, b. 22 Oct 1852; d. 30 Oct 1926.
16.
  - v. GILLIE A. GODWIN, b. Apr 1854; d. 1914.
17.
  - vi. ELIZABETH F. "BETTY" GODWIN, b. Abt. 1856.
  - vii. JUNIUS GODWIN, b. 1860, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 1860, Johnston County, North Carolina.
  - viii. ARMENIA GODWIN, b. 1862.
  - ix. HESTER ADELLA GODWIN, b. 1865; m. ? BYRD.

**8.** BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup> GODWIN (*JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 1821 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 1859 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married ELIZABETH BARBER 26 Nov 1842 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She was born Abt. 1821, and died Aft. 1880.

Notes for ELIZABETH BARBER:

Living with son Benjamin in 1880 Census Elevation Township, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for BENJAMIN GODWIN and ELIZABETH BARBER:

Bride: Elizabeth Barber

Groom: Benjamin Godwin

Bond Date: 26 Nov 1842

County: Johnston

Record #: 01 078

Bondsman: Simon Turner

Witness: Wm. Hen. Guy

Bond #: 000067890

More About BENJAMIN GODWIN and ELIZABETH BARBER:

Marriage: 26 Nov 1842, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of BENJAMIN GODWIN and ELIZABETH BARBER are:

- i. ELLANDER<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, b. 1844.
- ii. EMILY GODWIN, b. 1846.
- iii. SUSAN GODWIN, b. 1848.
18. iv. PARROTT GREEN GODWIN, b. Jul 1850, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. Oct 1921.
- v. LUCY GODWIN, b. 1853.
19. vi. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN GODWIN, b. 04 Nov 1855; d. 08 Nov 1916, Johnston County, North Carolina.

*Generation No. 4*

**9.** EMERLINE<sup>4</sup> GODWIN (*STEPHENSON A.*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 1832, and died 1907. She married ISSAC PARRISH 07 Apr 1855 in Johnston County, North Carolina, son of DAVID PARRISH and ELIZABETH JOHNSON. He was born 29 Mar 1831 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 01 Oct 1920.

Notes for EMERLINE GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40375  
Name (Age): PARRISH, Emaline  
Obit. Pub. Date: 09/04/1908  
Other Pub. Info.: Wilson's Mills, m/o David S. Parrish, family Cemetery

More About EMERLINE GODWIN:  
Burial: Spence Family Cemetery, Wilson Mills Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for ISSAC PARRISH:  
Smithfield Herald

Obit. ID: 40459  
Name (Age): PARRISH, Isaac (90)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 10/05/1920  
Other Pub. Info.: Wilson's Mills, NC

More About ISSAC PARRISH:  
Burial: Spence Family Cemetery, Wilson Mills Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for EMERLINE GODWIN and ISSAC PARRISH:  
Johnston County Heritage Center  
Marriage Bonds

ID: 7446  
Groom: Parrish, Isaac  
Bride: Godwin, Emaline  
Date of Marriage Bond: April 17, 1855

Bondsmen and Officials: Isaac Parrish, David Parrish

More About ISSAC PARRISH and EMERLINE GODWIN:  
Marriage: 07 Apr 1855, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of EMERLINE GODWIN and ISSAC PARRISH are:

- i. MARY<sup>5</sup> PARRISH, b. Abt. 1857.
- ii. SAMANTHA PARRISH, b. Abt. 1859.
20. iii. DAVID STEPHEN PARRISH, b. 18 Nov 1862; d. 23 Sep 1942.

**10.** AVERA E.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN (*STEPHENSON A.*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 13 Jun 1840, and died 08 Dec 1922. He married MARTHA J. EASOM 24 Dec 1861 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She was born 14 Feb 1840, and died 18 Jun 1915.

Notes for AVERA E. GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 19160  
Name (Age): GODWIN, A. E.  
Obit. Pub. Date: 01/30/1923  
Other Pub. Info.: C.S.A. Veteran

More About AVERA E. GODWIN:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, North Carolina  
Occupation: Farmer

Notes for MARTHA J. EASOM:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20210  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Martha (76)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 06/29/1915  
Other Pub. Info.: sis/o James H. Eason of Smithfield, w/o A. E. Godwin, Bethesda Church Cemetery

More About MARTHA J. EASOM:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for AVERA GODWIN and MARTHA EASOM:  
Marriages of Johnston County, North Carolina  
1762-1868

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Godwin, Avera E. & Martha J. Easom, 23 dec 1861; m 24 Dec 1861 at Hardy Easoms' by N. G. Gulley, J. P.

More About AVERA GODWIN and MARTHA EASOM:

Marriage: 24 Dec 1861, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of AVERA GODWIN and MARTHA EASOM are:

21.
  - i. JAMES H.<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, b. 22 Sep 1866; d. 06 May 1900.
  - ii. MARY E. GODWIN, b. Abt. 1868.
  - iii. MARTHA GODWIN, b. Abt. 1871.
22.
  - iv. WILLIAM ELLIS GODWIN, b. 1872; d. 1951.
  - v. STEPHEN ANDREW GODWIN, b. 05 May 1874; d. 07 Aug 1932.

Notes for STEPHEN ANDREW GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20300  
Name (Age): GODWIN, S. A. (ca 60)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 08/23/1932  
Other Pub. Info.: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery

More About STEPHEN ANDREW GODWIN:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, North Carolina

- vi. SARAH C. GODWIN, b. Abt. 1877.

**11.** PINKNEY P.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN (*STEPHENSON A.*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1848. He married ?. She died Sep 1895.

Notes for ?:  
Smithfield Herald

Obit. ID: 20473  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Pinkney (Mrs.)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 09/19/1895  
Other Pub. Info.: Polenta

Children of PINKNEY GODWIN and ? are:

- i. ARTHUR<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, b. Abt. 1871; d. Dec 1921.

Notes for ARTHUR GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obit. ID: 19182  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Arthur (ca 50)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 12/23/1921  
Other Pub. Info.: s/o Pinkney Godwin - Widow and 9 Children - Cleveland Twp.

- ii. JASPER LUCAS GODWIN, b. Abt. 1879; m. MAE GULLEY; b. Abt. 1883; d. Nov

1963.

Notes for JASPER LUCAS GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20425  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Jasper Lucas (79)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 05/13/1958  
Other Pub. Info.: Clayton, s/o Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney Godwin

Notes for MAE GULLEY:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20451  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Mae (80)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 11/05/1963  
Other Pub. Info.: Clayton, d/o M.M. and Sofea Elis Gulley, W/o Jasper L. Godwin

**12.** MARY ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> JOHNSON (*ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. 1838 in North Carolina. She married JAMES C. SURLES. He was born Abt. 1825 in North Carolina.

More About JAMES C. SURLES:  
Occupation: Farmer

Children of MARY JOHNSON and JAMES SURLES are:

23.
  - i. DRUZILLA<sup>5</sup> SURLES, b. 16 May 1858, Dunn, North Carolina; d. 17 Oct 1938, Harnett County, North Carolina.
  - ii. ESTER SURLES, b. 22 Feb 1861, North Carolina; d. 06 Mar 1936, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? MCLEOD.

Notes for ESTER SURLES:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Ester McLeod  
Race: White  
Age: 75  
Date of Birth: 1861  
Date of Death: 6 Mar 1936  
Death County: Forsyth  
Death State: North Carolina  
Source Vendor: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About ESTER SURLES:

Burial: 07 Mar 1936, Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County,  
North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Carcinoma of Thyroid Gland  
Occupation: Merchant

24.     iii. ALBERT FOREST SURLES, b. 01 Feb 1862, Harnett County, North Carolina; d.  
31 Jan 1929, Cumberland County, North Carolina.  
iv.     ROBERTA SURLES, b. Abt. 1866, North Carolina.  
v.     ELIZABETH "BETTIE" SURLES, b. 03 Jun 1868, North Carolina; d. 15 May  
1940; m. THOMAS D. JONES.

More About ELIZABETH "BETTIE" SURLES:

Burial: Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

25.     vi. JAMES FRANKLIN SURLES, b. 29 Dec 1872, Harnett County, North Carolina;  
d. 10 Jan 1939, Harnett County, North Carolina.  
vii.    HATTIE SURLES, b. 04 Nov 1878, Dunn, North Carolina; d. 21 Nov 1951,  
Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ARCHIE B. HINSON; b. 24 May 1869,  
North Carolina; d. 19 Mar 1919, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for HATTIE SURLES:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Hattie S Hinson

Race: White

Age: 73

Date of Birth: 1878

Date of Death: 21 Nov 1951

Death County: Harnett

Death State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About HATTIE SURLES:

Burial: 22 Nov 1951, Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County,  
North Carolina

Cause of Death: Chronic Myocarditis/Chronic Nephritis/Senile Dementia

Notes for ARCHIE B. HINSON:

\*\*Date of death taken from cemetery records

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Archie B Hinson

Race: White

Age: 48

Date of Birth: 1871

Date of Death: Mar 1919

Death County: Harnett  
Death State: North Carolina  
Source Vendor: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About ARCHIE B. HINSON:  
Burial: Surlles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Apoplexy  
Occupation: Carpenter

**13.** KISIAH<sup>4</sup> GODWIN (*PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 15 Jun 1845 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 08 Jul 1888 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married LOVIT ENNIS 19 Dec 1867. He was born 03 Mar 1840 in Cumberland County, North Carolina, and died 27 Dec 1923 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About KISIAH GODWIN:  
Burial: John Ennis Family Cemetery, SR 1306, Banner Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

More About LOVIT ENNIS:  
Burial: John Ennis Family Cemetery, SR 1306, Banner Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

More About LOVIT ENNIS and KISIAH GODWIN:  
Marriage: 19 Dec 1867

Children of KISIAH GODWIN and LOVIT ENNIS are:

26. i. BENNETT<sup>5</sup> ENNIS, b. 29 May 1876, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 22 Jun 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina.
27. ii. CALVIN ENNIS, b. 15 Sep 1884, North Carolina; d. 26 Mar 1954, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**14.** RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup> GODWIN (*PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Aug 1850, and died Bef. 1931. He married MARTHA FRANCIS ENNIS, daughter of WALTER ENNIS and NANCY MUNNS. She was born 05 Mar 1851 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 16 Nov 1931 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About MARTHA FRANCIS ENNIS:  
Burial: 17 Nov 1931

Children of RICHARD GODWIN and MARTHA ENNIS are:

- i. DEMETRIUS M.<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, b. 23 Aug 1873, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 02 Jun 1931, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. DELLA ?.

More About DEMETRIUS M. GODWIN:



Burial: 03 Jun 1931, Angier

- 28. ii. EFFIE CELIA GODWIN, b. 20 Mar 1878, North Carolina; d. 27 Jun 1950, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 29. iii. WALTER E. GODWIN, b. 08 May 1877; d. 20 Jan 1956.
- iv. PETER G. GODWIN, b. 03 May 1883; d. 09 Nov 1906.

More About PETER G. GODWIN:

Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

- 30. v. GROVER CLEVELAND GODWIN, b. Dec 1885, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 16 Nov 1954, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 31. vi. FLONNIE FRANCES GODWIN, b. Dec 1891; d. Bef. 1930.

**15.** HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN (*PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 22 Oct 1852, and died 30 Oct 1926. He married MARY CHELTON "CHELLIE" JOHNSON. She was born 13 Oct 1858, and died 23 Jan 1929 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

More About HAYWOOD W. GODWIN:

Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson Hardee Road, Johnston County, North Carolina

Occupation: Farmer

Notes for MARY CHELTON "CHELLIE" JOHNSON:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Mary C Godwin

Death Date: 23 Jan 1929

Death County: Johnston

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 70

Birth Date: 1859

Source: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About MARY CHELTON "CHELLIE" JOHNSON:

Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson Hardee Road, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of HAYWOOD GODWIN and MARY JOHNSON are:

- 32. i. MINNIE GREENE<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, b. 15 Dec 1878, North Carolina; d. 14 May 1951, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- 33. ii. MEDDIE MELINDA GODWIN, b. 13 Feb 1881, North Carolina; d. 16 May 1968, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iii. MATTIE B. GODWIN, b. 10 Feb 1885, North Carolina; d. 03 Oct 1971, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina; m. LYNN B. KING, 06 Jan 1909, Johnston County, North Carolina; b. 27 Jan 1882, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 26 Apr 1949, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for MATTIE B. GODWIN:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Mattie King  
Death Date: 3 Oct 1971  
Death City: Raleigh  
Death County: Harnett {\*\*Should read "Wake" }  
Death State: North Carolina  
Date Death Recorded: 1961  
Death Age: 86

Birth Date: 1885

Residence County: Harnett  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Institution: Other Institutions  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1970-74

More About MATTIE B. GODWIN:  
Burial: Harnett Memorial Park Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Notes for LYNN B. KING:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 29561  
Name (Age): KING, Lynn B. (67)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 04/29/1949  
Other Pub. Info.: s/o D.A./Mary Higgins King, Harnett Memorial Cemetery,  
Angier, NC

More About LYNN B. KING:  
Burial: 28 Apr 1949, Harnett Memorial Park Cemetery, Harnett County, North  
Carolina  
Cause of Death: Acute Coronary Occlusion  
Occupation: Farmer

Marriage Notes for MATTIE GODWIN and LYNN KING:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2004

Name: Mattie Godwin  
Gender: Female

Spouse: L B King

Spouse Gender: Male

Marriage Date: 6 Jan 1909

Marriage County: Johnston

Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About LYNN KING and MATTIE GODWIN:

Marriage: 06 Jan 1909, Johnston County, North Carolina

34. iv. RUFUS JENTRY GODWIN, b. 10 Nov 1887, North Carolina; d. 25 Jul 1974, Harnett County, North Carolina.  
v. SYLVESTER GODWIN, b. 21 Apr 1890, North Carolina; d. 21 Feb 1909.

More About SYLVESTER GODWIN:

Burial: Godwin Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

35. vi. MARY EDITH GODWIN, b. 18 Sep 1892, North Carolina; d. 22 Jan 1976, Johnston County, North Carolina.  
36. vii. MONNIE NATON GODWIN, b. Dec 1894, North Carolina; d. 06 Sep 1928, Johnston County, North Carolina.  
viii. MYRTLE GODWIN, b. Oct 1897, North Carolina; m. H. W. THORNTON, 12 Sep 1917, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for MYRTLE GODWIN and H. THORNTON:

North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2004

Name: Myrtle Godwin

Gender: Female

Spouse: H W Thornton

Spouse Gender: Male

Marriage Date: 12 Sep 1917

Marriage County: Johnston

Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About H. THORNTON and MYRTLE GODWIN:

Marriage: 12 Sep 1917, Johnston County, North Carolina

**16.** GILLIE A.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN (*PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Apr 1854, and died 1914. She married JOHN RANDELL PARRISH, son of TROY PARRISH and MARY PARRISH. He was born Dec 1851 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 27 Jun 1932 in Johnston County,

North Carolina.

More About GILLIE A. GODWIN:

Burial: Parrish Family Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for JOHN RANDELL PARRISH:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: John R Parrish

Death Date: 27 Jul 1932

Death County: Hertford

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 81

Birth Date: abt. 1851

Race: W

More About JOHN RANDELL PARRISH:

Burial: Parrish Family Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of GILLIE GODWIN and JOHN PARRISH are:

37. i. ROBERT DANIEL<sup>5</sup> PARRISH, b. Feb 1876.
38. ii. PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE" PARRISH, b. 07 Mar 1880; d. 12 May 1957; Stepchild.
- iii. JOHN WALTON PARRISH, b. 09 Sep 1884; m. ELLA JOHNSON.

More About JOHN WALTON PARRISH:

Occupation: Farmer

- iv. ROYELLA PARRISH, b. Mar 1884.
- v. ESTELLA PARRISH, b. Oct 1888.
- vi. BESSIE A. PARRISH, b. Aug 1892.

**17.** ELIZABETH F. "BETTY"<sup>4</sup> GODWIN (*PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1856. She married BEN DIXON.

Children of ELIZABETH GODWIN and BEN DIXON are:

39. i. BEN PATRICK<sup>5</sup> DIXON, b. 1887, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 25 Feb 1950, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. WILLIE EDGAR DIXON, b. 12 Jul 1898, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 27 Mar 1960, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. FLORRIE POOLE; b. 16 May 1898, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 13 Feb 1990, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About WILLIE EDGAR DIXON:

Burial: 29 Mar 1960, Williams Family Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

Occupation: Farmer

More About FLORRIE POOLE:

Burial: Williams Family Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

**18.** PARROTT GREEN<sup>4</sup> GODWIN (*BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born Jul 1850 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died Oct 1921. He married NANCY ANN STEPHENSON 29 Mar 1874 in Johnston County, North Carolina, daughter of QUINTON STEPHENSON and MARYANN CREECH. She was born Mar 1852.

Notes for PARROTT GREEN GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20474  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Port  
Obit. Pub. Date: 10/14/1921  
Other Pub. Info.: near Benson

More About PARROTT GODWIN and NANCY STEPHENSON:  
Marriage: 29 Mar 1874, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of PARROTT GODWIN and NANCY STEPHENSON are:

- i. MARY ELIZABETH<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, b. 16 Aug 1875, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 04 Jun 1932, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. L. E. STANCIL; d. Aft. 1932.

More About MARY ELIZABETH GODWIN:  
Cause of Death: Apoplexy

- ii. ALLY V. GODWIN, b. Abt. 1876.
40. iii. ANNIE CLARISSA GODWIN, b. 22 Oct 1879, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 22 Mar 1964.
- iv. VARILLA GODWIN, b. Jul 1881.
41. v. PARROTT HOSEA GODWIN, b. 09 Mar 1886, North Carolina; d. 02 Apr 1957, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- vi. VIRGINIA GODWIN, b. Jun 1888.
- vii. HARVEY GODWIN, b. Oct 1891.
- viii. MYRTLE GODWIN, b. Dec 1894.

**19.** BENJAMIN FRANKLIN<sup>4</sup> GODWIN (*BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 04 Nov 1855, and died 08 Nov 1916 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married SARAH F. DIXON 15 Aug 1875 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She was born 03 Sep 1855, and died 07 Mar 1934 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for BENJAMIN FRANKLIN GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obit. ID: 19188  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Benjamin F. (61)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 11/10/1916  
Other Pub. Info.: Family Cemetery - near Benson

More About BENJAMIN FRANKLIN GODWIN:  
Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, off SR 1362, Elevation Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for SARAH F. DIXON:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 19252  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Sara (78)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 03/09/1934  
Other Pub. Info.: w/o Ben Godwin, family Cemetery, Elevation Twp.

More About SARAH F. DIXON:  
Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, off SR 1362, Elevation Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for BENJAMIN GODWIN and SARAH DIXON:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Benj Franklin Godwin  
Gender: Male  
Estimated birth year: 1875

Spouse: Sarah Dixon  
Spouse Gender: Female  
Spouse Estimated Birth Year: 1875

Marriage Date: 15 Aug 1875  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About BENJAMIN GODWIN and SARAH DIXON:  
Marriage: 15 Aug 1875, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of BENJAMIN GODWIN and SARAH DIXON are:

42. i. AGGIE J.<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, b. 20 Aug 1877, North Carolina; d. 10 May 1961, Harnett County, North Carolina.
43. ii. JAMES EVERETTE GODWIN, SR., b. 01 Dec 1879; d. 01 Jul 1956.
- iii. JUNIUS H. GODWIN, b. Aug 1881.

- iv. BERTHA GODWIN, b. Aug 1884.
- v. FLOSSIE GODWIN, b. Nov 1887.
- 44. vi. DELLA GODWIN, b. 12 Jul 1890; d. 01 Oct 1984, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- vii. LERMA FLORENCE GODWIN, b. 03 Feb 1891; d. 04 May 1983, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for LERMA FLORENCE GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20434  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Lerma Florence (92)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 05/06/1983  
Other Pub. Info.: Four Oaks, d/o Benjamin and Sarah Dixon Godwin

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Lerma Florence Godwin  
Death Date: 4 May 1983  
Death City: Smithfield  
Death County: Johnston  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 92  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 3 Feb 1891  
Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Johnston  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Father: G  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Never Married  
Social Security Number:  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1983-87

More About LERMA FLORENCE GODWIN:  
Burial: Roselawn Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

- 45. viii. WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN GODWIN, b. Abt. 1896; d. Dec 1967.

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**20.** DAVID STEPHEN<sup>5</sup> PARRISH (*EMERLINE<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, STEPHENSON A.<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 18 Nov 1862, and died 23 Sep 1942. He married CORNELIA FRANCES TURNAGE, daughter of JAMES TURNAGE and SARAH HODGES. She was born 15 Nov 1864, and died 11 Dec 1949.

Notes for DAVID STEPHEN PARRISH:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40344  
Name (Age): PARRISH, David Stephen (80)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 09/25/1942  
Other Pub. Info.: Johnston Union Free Will Baptist Church Cemetery

More About DAVID STEPHEN PARRISH:  
Burial: Johnston Union Church, Smithfield, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for CORNELIA FRANCES TURNAGE:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40171  
Name (Age): PARRISH, Cornelia (86)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 12/13/1949  
Other Pub. Info.: d/o Rev. James/Mrs. Sarah Hodges Turnage, w/o D. S. Parrish, Johnson Union Church Cemetery

More About CORNELIA FRANCES TURNAGE:  
Burial: Johnston Union Church, Smithfield, Johnston County, North Carolina

Child of DAVID PARRISH and CORNELIA TURNAGE is:

- i. NORMAN FIRMAN<sup>6</sup> PARRISH, b. 17 Sep 1891, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 01 Sep 1947.

Notes for NORMAN FIRMAN PARRISH:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40822  
Name (Age): PARRISH, Norman F. (56)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 09/05/1947  
Other Pub. Info.: s/o David S./Cornelia Turnage Parrish of JC, Johnson Union Church Cemetery

More About NORMAN FIRMAN PARRISH:  
Burial: Johnston Union Church, Smithfield, Johnston County, North Carolina

**21.** JAMES H.<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*AVERA E.<sup>4</sup>, STEPHENSON A.<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 22 Sep 1866, and died 06 May 1900. He married DELIA GREEN 19 Nov 1885 in Johnston County,



North Carolina. She was born 1869, and died 1962.

Notes for JAMES H. GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20412  
Name (Age): GODWIN, James H.  
Obit. Pub. Date: 05/12/1899  
Other Pub. Info.: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery

\*Grave stone reads 1900

More About JAMES H. GODWIN:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, Johnston County, North Carolina

More About DELIA GREEN:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, Johnston County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for JAMES GODWIN and DELIA GREEN:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: J H Godwin  
Gender: Male

Spouse: Delia Green  
Spouse Gender: Female

Marriage Date: 19 Nov 1885  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About JAMES GODWIN and DELIA GREEN:  
Marriage: 19 Nov 1885, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of JAMES GODWIN and DELIA GREEN are:

46.
  - i. JULIA<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, b. Abt. 1886; d. Dec 1966.
  - ii. STEPHEN H. GODWIN, b. 1892; d. 1895.

More About STEPHEN H. GODWIN:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, Johnston County, North Carolina

**22.** WILLIAM ELLIS<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*AVERA E.*<sup>4</sup>, *STEPHENSON A.*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 1872, and died 1951. He married ELLEN F. OVERMAN 23 Sep 1893 in Wayne County, North Carolina, daughter of WILLIAM OVERMAN and NANCY ?. She was born 1874, and died 1964.

Notes for WILLIAM ELLIS GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20217  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Ellen (89)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 04/03/1964  
Other Pub. Info.: Wilson's Mills, d/o William and Nancy Overman, w/o William E. Godwin

More About WILLIAM ELLIS GODWIN:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, North Carolina

Notes for ELLEN F. OVERMAN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20217  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Ellen (89)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 04/03/1964  
Other Pub. Info.: Wilson's Mills, d/o William and Nancy Overman, w/o William E. Godwin

More About ELLEN F. OVERMAN:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for WILLIAM GODWIN and ELLEN OVERMAN:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Ellen F Overman  
Gender: Female  
Estimated Birth Year: 1893

Spouse: W E Godwin  
Spouse Gender: Male  
Spouse Estimated Birth Year: 1893

Marriage Date: 23 Sep 1893  
Marriage County: Wayne  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About WILLIAM GODWIN and ELLEN OVERMAN:  
Marriage: 23 Sep 1893, Wayne County, North Carolina

Children of WILLIAM GODWIN and ELLEN OVERMAN are:  
i. HERBERT EUGENE<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, b. 1895; d. 1896.

More About HERBERT EUGENE GODWIN:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, North Carolina

- ii. NEUET GODWIN, b. 1897; d. 1897.

More About NEUET GODWIN:

Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, North Carolina

- 47. iii. LESLIE GRANT GODWIN, b. 16 Apr 1904; d. 07 Nov 1966.

**23.** DRUZILLA<sup>5</sup> SURLES (*MARY ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> JOHNSON, ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 16 May 1858 in Dunn, North Carolina, and died 17 Oct 1938 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married LEWIS PEARCE JERNIGAN, son of BUDD JERNIGAN and SALLIE ADAMS. He was born 29 May 1856 in North Carolina, and died 28 Sep 1931 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About DRUZILLA SURLES:

Burial: Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Angina Pectoris

More About LEWIS PEARCE JERNIGAN:

Burial: 30 Sep 1931, Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Natural Causes & Diabetes

Occupation: Farmer

Child of DRUZILLA SURLES and LEWIS JERNIGAN is:

- i. JAMES I.<sup>6</sup> JERNIGAN, b. 31 Jul 1882, North Carolina; d. 27 Sep 1882, North Carolina.

More About JAMES I. JERNIGAN:

Burial: Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

**24.** ALBERT FOREST<sup>5</sup> SURLES (*MARY ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> JOHNSON, ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 01 Feb 1862 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 31 Jan 1929 in Cumberland County, North Carolina. He married (1) IDA LULA MONDS, daughter of WILLIAM MONDS and MARY JERNIGAN. She was born 26 Aug 1872 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 07 Mar 1942 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married (2) LAURA A. JACKSON.

Notes for ALBERT FOREST SURLES:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Albert F Surles

Age: 65

Date of Birth: 1864

Date of Death: 31 Jan 1929

Death County: Cumberland

Death State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About ALBERT FOREST SURLES:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About IDA LULA MONDS:

Burial: 08 Mar 1942, Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardio Vascular Disease

Children of ALBERT SURLES and IDA MONDS are:

48. i. LEVI PARSON<sup>6</sup> SURLES, b. 14 Oct 1889, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 03 Jan 1972, Harnett County, North Carolina.
49. ii. ROBERT E. SURLES, b. 23 May 1893, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 13 Aug 1943, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iii. WILLIAM BRIGHT SURLES, b. 23 Dec 1899, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 09 May 1962, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for WILLIAM BRIGHT SURLES:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: William B Surles

Race: White

Age: 62

Date of Birth: 1900

Date of Death: 9 May 1962

Death County: Wake

Death State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About WILLIAM BRIGHT SURLES:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

50. iv. ANNIE LULA SURLES, b. 28 Oct 1901, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 22 Dec 1943, Harnett County, North Carolina.
51. v. IRENE SURLES, b. 07 Nov 1911, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 19 May 1988, Harnett County, North Carolina.
52. vi. MCKINLEY SURLES, b. 24 Aug 1914, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 20 Nov 1996, Fayetteville, Cumberland County, North Carolina.
- vii. NANCY SURLES, b. 18 Jan 1916, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 29 May 1916, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About NANCY SURLES:

Burial: 30 May 1916, Surles Cemetery

Child of ALBERT SURLES and LAURA JACKSON is:

- viii. CLAUDE M.<sup>6</sup> SURLES, b. 19 Dec 1882, North Carolina; d. 23 Jan 1938, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ARIZONA BASS; b. 22 Jun 1882; d. 15 May 1940, Cumberland County, North Carolina.

More About CLAUDE M. SURLES:  
Burial: 24 Jan 1938, Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County,  
North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Confluent Variola  
Occupation: Farmer

Notes for ARIZONA BASS:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Arizona Surles  
Race: White  
Age: 57  
Date of Birth: 1883  
Date of Death: 15 May 1940  
Death County: Cumberland  
Death State: North Carolina  
Source Vendor: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About ARIZONA BASS:  
Burial: Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

**25.** JAMES FRANKLIN<sup>5</sup> SURLES (*MARY ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> JOHNSON, ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 29 Dec 1872 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 10 Jan 1939 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married REBECCA E. JACKSON. She was born 12 Oct 1871, and died 26 Sep 1933 in Cumberland County, North Carolina.

Notes for JAMES FRANKLIN SURLES:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: James F Surles  
Race: White  
Age: 66  
Date of Birth: 1873  
Date of Death: 10 Jan 1939  
Death County: Harnett  
Death State: North Carolina  
Source Vendor: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About JAMES FRANKLIN SURLES:  
Burial: 11 Jan 1939, Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Occupation: Merchant

Notes for REBECCA E. JACKSON:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Rebecca E Surles  
Race: White  
Age: 61  
Date of Birth: 1872  
Date of Death: 26 Sep 1933  
Death County: Cumberland  
Death State: North Carolina  
Source Vendor: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About REBECCA E. JACKSON:

Burial: Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of JAMES SURLES and REBECCA JACKSON are:

- i. WILLIAM R.<sup>6</sup> SURLES, b. 13 Jul 1890, North Carolina; d. 21 Apr 1891, North Carolina.

More About WILLIAM R. SURLES:

Burial: Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

- ii. OCKIE F. SURLES, b. 25 Nov 1895, North Carolina; d. 09 May 1971, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. (1) THOMAS L. JONES, 24 Dec 1916, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 04 Apr 1883, Sampson County, North Carolina; d. 19 Jul 1944, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. (2) ALBERT J. SURLES, 25 Dec 1946, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 03 Aug 1879, North Carolina; d. 03 Mar 1956, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for OCKIE F. SURLES:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Ockie Surles

Gender: Female

Race: White

Marital Status: Widowed

Age: 76

Date of Birth: 1895

Residence City: Dunn

Residence County: Harnett

Date of Death: 9 May 1971

Death County: Harnett

Death State: North Carolina

Autopsy: No

Institution: Other Institutions

Attendant: Physician

Recorded Date: May 1961

Source Vendor: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1970-74

Social Security Death Index

Name: Ockie Surles  
SSN:  
Last Residence: 28334 Dunn, Harnett, North Carolina, United States of  
America  
Born: 25 Nov 1894  
Died: May 1971  
State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (Before 1951)

More About OCKIE F. SURLES:

Burial: 10 May 1971, Greenwood Cemetery, Dunn, Harnett County, North  
Carolina  
Cause of Death: Cerebral Thrombosis

More About THOMAS L. JONES:

Burial: 21 Jul 1944, Greenwood Cemetery, Dunn, Harnett County, North  
Carolina  
Cause of Death: Acute Cardiac Dilation  
Occupation: Laborer

Marriage Notes for OCKIE SURLES and THOMAS JONES:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 1600097  
Date Filed: 12/25/1916 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: JONES, T L  
Bride: SURLES, OKIE  
Maiden Surname: SURLES  
Date of Marriage: 12/24/1916  
Volume: 1916  
Page: 97

More About THOMAS JONES and OCKIE SURLES:

Marriage: 24 Dec 1916, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About ALBERT J. SURLES:

Burial: 04 Mar 1956, Greenwood Cemetery, Dunn, Harnett County, North  
Carolina  
Cause of Death: Subdural Hemorrhage & Intestinal Injury/Auto Accident  
Occupation: Store Clerk/Dunn Hatchery

Marriage Notes for OCKIE SURLES and ALBERT SURLES:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 4600213  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: SURLES, ALBERT J  
Bride: JONES, OCKIE SURLES  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 12/25/1946  
Volume: 1946  
Page: 213

More About ALBERT SURLES and OCKIE SURLES:  
Marriage: 25 Dec 1946, Harnett County, North Carolina

- iii. INFANT SON SURLES, b. 12 Sep 1898, North Carolina; d. 25 Sep 1898, North Carolina.

More About INFANT SON SURLES:  
Burial: Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

- iv. ERNEST J. SURLES, b. 01 May 1904, North Carolina; d. 23 Feb 1923, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About ERNEST J. SURLES:  
Burial: 24 Feb 1923, Surles Cemetery, Wake Road, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Pneumonia

**26.** BENNETT<sup>5</sup> ENNIS (*KISIAH<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 29 May 1876 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 22 Jun 1948 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married (1) CORA AMMONS Abt. 1898. She was born 20 May 1881, and died 21 Jan 1931. He married (2) ELLEN ? Aft. 1931. She was born Abt. 1899.

More About BENNETT ENNIS:  
Burial: John Ennis Family Cemetery, SR 1306, Banner Township, Johnston County, North Carolina  
Occupation: Farmer

More About CORA AMMONS:  
Burial: John Ennis Family Cemetery, SR 1306, Banner Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

More About BENNETT ENNIS and CORA AMMONS:  
Marriage: Abt. 1898

More About BENNETT ENNIS and ELLEN ?:  
Marriage: Aft. 1931

Children of BENNETT ENNIS and CORA AMMONS are:

- i. MARY<sup>6</sup> ENNIS, b. Abt. 1899.



- 53. ii. BENNY ENNIS, b. Abt. 1907.
- iii. KIRKLAND ENNIS, b. 19 Jun 1912; d. 25 Dec 1912.

More About KIRKLAND ENNIS:

Burial: Ennis Family Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

- iv. HOUSTON ENNIS, b. Abt. 1915.
- v. LEOLA ENNIS, b. Abt. 1916.
- 54. vi. LOVETTE KIRKLAND ENNIS, b. 12 Mar 1919, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 02 Feb 1985, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- vii. THURL ENNIS, b. 05 Dec 1920.
- viii. CLEO ENNIS, b. 1924, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for CLEO ENNIS:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Cleo Ennis

Date of Birth: 1924

Gender: Female

Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Bennette

Parent2 Name: Chora Ammonds

Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001

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**27.** CALVIN<sup>5</sup> ENNIS (*KISIAH<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 15 Sep 1884 in North Carolina, and died 26 Mar 1954 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married MAUDE E. ROSE KEEN 10 Apr 1911 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She was born 16 Jun 1894, and died 20 Feb 1934.

More About CALVIN ENNIS:

Burial: 28 Mar 1954, John Ennis Family Cemetery, SR 1306, Banner Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Coronary Occlusion

More About MAUDE E. ROSE KEEN:

Burial: John Ennis Family Cemetery, SR 1306, Banner Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for CALVIN ENNIS and MAUDE KEEN:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 1100055

Date Filed: 04/10/1911 12:00:00 AM

Groom: ENNIS, CALVIN

Bride: KEEN, MAUD ROSE

Maiden Surname: KEEN  
Date of Marriage: 04/10/1911  
Volume: 1911  
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More About CALVIN ENNIS and MAUDE KEEN:  
Marriage: 10 Apr 1911, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of CALVIN ENNIS and MAUDE KEEN are:

- i. TROY L.<sup>6</sup> ENNIS, b. 18 Nov 1912; d. 30 Jul 1914.

More About TROY L. ENNIS:

Burial: John Ennis Family Cemetery, SR 1306, Banner Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

- ii. HUBERT H. ENNIS, b. 20 Oct 1914; d. 11 Nov 1914.

More About HUBERT H. ENNIS:

Burial: John Ennis Family Cemetery, SR 1306, Banner Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

55. iii. LOLA PEARL ENNIS, b. 04 Sep 1916, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 31 Jul 1986, Harnett County, North Carolina.
56. iv. GLADYS A. ENNIS, b. 18 Jul 1920, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 05 Dec 1981, Harnett County, North Carolina.
57. v. HOWARD RUDOLPH ENNIS, b. 09 Jul 1923, Johnston County, North Carolina.
58. vi. LUCILLE ENNIS, b. 15 Nov 1925, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 31 May 1993, Harnett County, North Carolina.
59. vii. GARNER ROSE ENNIS, b. 10 May 1928, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 06 Mar 2007, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**28.** EFFIE CELIA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 20 Mar 1878 in North Carolina, and died 27 Jun 1950 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married LOUIS HENRY STEPHENSON, son of NEWITT STEPHENSON and ELLA HOLLAND. He was born Abt. 1876 in North Carolina, and died Nov 1959.

More About EFFIE CELIA GODWIN:

Burial: 28 Jun 1950, Stephenson Family Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for LOUIS HENRY STEPHENSON:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 48835

Name (Age): STEPHENSON, Lewis H. (81)

Obit. Pub. Date: 11/17/1959

Other Pub. Info.: Rt 2 Benson;s/o Newit and Hawkins Holland Stephenson

Children of EFFIE GODWIN and LOUIS STEPHENSON are:

- i. DEWEY RENFROW<sup>6</sup> STEPHENSON, b. Abt. 1899; d. Mar 1956; m. FRANCES ?.

Notes for DEWEY RENFROW STEPHENSON:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 48643  
Name (Age): STEPHENSON, Dewey Renfrow (57)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 03/02/1956  
Other Pub. Info.: Benson, s/o Louis H. and Effie C. Stephenson, gs/o Newit and Hawkins Stephenson of Pleasant Grove Twp

More About DEWEY RENFROW STEPHENSON:  
Cause of Death: Suicide

- ii. MAMIE G. STEPHENSON, b. 09 Nov 1903; d. 05 Dec 1980; m. ARCHIE CALVIN LANGDON; b. 22 Feb 1898, North Carolina; d. 30 Aug 1962, Durham, North Carolina.

Notes for MAMIE G. STEPHENSON:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 30344  
Name (Age): LANGDON, Mamie Stephenson (77)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 12/09/1980  
Other Pub. Info.: b. 11-9-1903 - d/o Louis Henry and Celia Godwin Stephenson -- Oakland Hgts.Cem., Smthfld -- Selma

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Mamie Stephenson Langdon  
Death Date: 5 Dec 1980  
Death City: Selma  
Death County: Johnston  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 77  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 9 Nov 1903  
Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence City: Selma  
Residence County: Johnston  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Gender: Female  
Race: White

Marital Status: Widowed  
Social Security Number:  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: Home  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1979-82

More About MAMIE G. STEPHENSON:  
Burial: Oakland Heights Cemetery, Smithfield, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for ARCHIE CALVIN LANGDON:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 30225  
Name (Age): LANGDON, Archie Calvin (63)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 08/31/1962  
Other Pub. Info.: s/o James W./Rebecca Lassiter -- Four Oaks

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Archie C Langdon  
Race: White  
Age: 63  
Date of Birth: 1899  
Date of Death: 30 Aug 1962  
Death County: Durham  
Death State: North Carolina  
Source Vendor: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About ARCHIE CALVIN LANGDON:  
Burial: Oakland Heights Cemetery, Smithfield, Johnston County, North Carolina

60.     iii. ALPHA STEPHENSON, b. 19 Oct 1906, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 03 Apr 1999, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iv. RAYFORD WILLIARD STEPHENSON, b. 1922, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 09 Oct 1942, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. MADELINE TART.

More About RAYFORD WILLIARD STEPHENSON:  
Burial: 11 Oct 1942, Stephenson Family Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Suicide/Gunshot to the head

**29.** WALTER E.<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*RICHARD BRYANT*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 08 May 1877, and died 20 Jan 1956. He married MARY IDA STEPHENSON 09 Nov 1902 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She was born 31 Jan 1882, and died 23 Dec 1960.

Notes for WALTER E. GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20321  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Walter E. (78)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 01/24/1956  
Other Pub. Info.: Rt. 1, Benson, NC

More About WALTER E. GODWIN:  
Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Notes for MARY IDA STEPHENSON:  
Obituary ID: 20240  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Ida (78)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 12/30/1960  
Other Pub. Info.: Rt. 1, Benson, w/o Walter E. Godwin

More About MARY IDA STEPHENSON:  
Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for WALTER GODWIN and MARY STEPHENSON:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Mary Ida Stephenson  
Gender: Female  
Estimated Birth Year: 1902

Spouse: Walter Godwin  
Spouse Gender: Male  
Spouse Estimated Birth Year : 1902

Marriage Date: 9 Nov 1902  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About WALTER GODWIN and MARY STEPHENSON:  
Marriage: 09 Nov 1902, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of WALTER GODWIN and MARY STEPHENSON are:  
i. HETTIE M.<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, b. Abt. 1904.

- 61. ii. NETTIE GODWIN, b. Abt. 1908.
- iii. GARLAND R. GODWIN, b. 05 Mar 1910; d. 06 Jul 1936.
- iv. RUBY D. GODWIN, b. Abt. 1916.
- v. WAYLON ELMO GODWIN, b. 19 Sep 1918; d. 28 Feb 1985, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina; m. ELSIE LOIS POOLE; b. 11 Nov 1915; d. 16 Nov 1991, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for WAYLON ELMO GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20324  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Waylon E.  
Obit. Pub. Date: 03/05/1985  
Other Pub. Info.: b. 19 Sep 1918, s/o Walter E. and Mary Stephenson Godwin, h/o Elsie Poole Godwin , Godwin family Cemetery

Name: WAYLON ELMO GODWIN  
Age: 66 Years  
Death Date: 28 February 1985  
Place of Death: Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina  
Birth Date: 19 September 1918  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Hospital: General Hospital  
Bed Code: 100 Beds & Over  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Father: GODWIN  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Residence: Johnston, North Carolina

More About WAYLON ELMO GODWIN:  
Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Notes for ELSIE LOIS POOLE:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20221  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Elsie P. (76)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 11/19/1991  
Other Pub. Info.: b. 11 Nov 1915, d/o Robert Almon and Nettie Johnson Poole, wid/o Waylon Godwin, Devotional Gardens, Dunn, NC

Name: ELSIE POOLE GODWIN  
Age: 76 Years  
Death Date: 16 November 1991  
Place of Death: Erwin, Harnett, North Carolina

Birth Date: 11 November 1915  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Autopsy: No  
Hospital: General Hospital  
Bed Code: 20-34 Beds  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Father: POOLE  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Residence: Harnett, North Carolina

More About ELSIE LOIS POOLE:  
Burial: Devotional Gardens, Dunn, North Carolina

**30.** GROVER CLEVELAND<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born Dec 1885 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 16 Nov 1954 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married KITTY BARNES, daughter of JOHN BARNES and FLORA WEEKS. She was born 08 Apr 1894 in North Carolina, and died 30 Oct 1973 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About GROVER CLEVELAND GODWIN:  
Burial: 18 Nov 1954, Godwin Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina  
Occupation: Civil Service Employee

More About KITTY BARNES:  
Burial: 01 Nov 1973, Godwin Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Children of GROVER GODWIN and KITTY BARNES are:

62. i. WILEY WADE<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, b. 29 Jul 1909; d. 19 Dec 1995, Raleigh, North Carolina.
- ii. WILBURN GODWIN, b. Abt. 1913.
63. iii. LAYTON ARVISDALE GODWIN, b. 09 Sep 1917, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 06 Dec 1993, Harnett County, North Carolina.
64. iv. EXCELLE GODWIN, b. 21 Aug 1920; d. 27 Nov 1976, Chapel Hill, North Carolina.
65. v. LOTTIE MAE GODWIN, b. Abt. 1926.
66. vi. HALFORD DWIGHT GODWIN, b. 04 Jun 1933; d. 10 Jun 2002.

**31.** FLONNIE FRANCES<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born Dec 1891, and died Bef. 1930. She married NASSIE LEWIS BARNES 10 Jan 1909 in Johnston County, North Carolina, son of JOHN BARNES and FLORA WEEKS. He was born Abt. 1889.

More About NASSIE LEWIS BARNES:  
Occupation: Farmer

Marriage Notes for FLONNIE GODWIN and NASSIE BARNES:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: N Barnes  
Gender: Male  
Estimated Birth Year: 1909

Spouse: Flonnie Godwin  
Spouse Gender: Female  
Spouse Estimated Birth Year : 1909

Marriage Date: 10 Jan 1909  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About NASSIE BARNES and FLONNIE GODWIN:  
Marriage: 10 Jan 1909, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of FLONNIE GODWIN and NASSIE BARNES are:

67. i. CLYDA<sup>6</sup> BARNES, b. 10 Oct 1912, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 17 Sep 2006, Fayetteville, North Carolina.
68. ii. MARIE BARNES, b. 07 Feb 1915, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 07 Aug 2002, Harnett County, North Carolina.
69. iii. DENNIS OPIE BARNES, b. 10 Jan 1917, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 05 May 1997, Harnett County, North Carolina.
70. iv. WALLACE EARL BARNES, b. 25 Mar 1919; d. 13 Nov 2003.
71. v. PEARL BARNES, b. 30 May 1921, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 11 Nov 1985, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
72. vi. ETTA BARNES, b. 24 Nov 1923, Johnston County, North Carolina.
73. vii. REBA FRANCES BARNES, b. 27 Jan 1926; d. 07 Jun 1972, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

**32.** MINNIE GREENE<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 15 Dec 1878 in North Carolina, and died 14 May 1951 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married JOHN LEONARD PLEASANT, SR..

Notes for MINNIE GREENE GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 41842  
Name (Age): PLEASANTS, Minnie (Mrs.)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 05/18/1951  
Other Pub. Info.: d/o Haywood/Chellie Godwin - Sandy Grove P. B. Church Cemetery --  
Angier



North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Minnie G Pleasant  
Death Date: 14 May 1951  
Death County: Johnston  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 72

Birth Date: 1879

Race: White

Source: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About MINNIE GREENE GODWIN:

Burial: Sandy Grove Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Natural Cause

Children of MINNIE GODWIN and JOHN PLEASANT are:

- i. BERTIE A.<sup>6</sup> PLEASANT, b. 02 Jun 1904, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 25 Nov 1995, Johnston County, North Carolina.

More About BERTIE A. PLEASANT:

Burial: Sandy Grove Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Terminal Rectal Carcinoma

- ii. MAMIE CHELTON PLEASANT, b. 24 Jul 1906, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 04 Jan 2002, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. MALLIE C. SMITH; b. 13 Jul 1900; d. 08 Sep 1954.

Notes for MAMIE CHELTON PLEASANT:

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
January 6, 2002

ANGIER -- Mamie Chelton Pleasant Smith, 95, died Friday, Jan. 4, 2002. She was a native of Johnston County, born to the late John and Minnie Pleasant. She was preceded in death by her husband Mallie C. Smith.

More About MAMIE CHELTON PLEASANT:

Burial: Sandy Grove Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for MALLIE C. SMITH:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 47075  
Name (Age): SMITH, Mallie C. (54)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 09/10/1954  
Other Pub. Info.: s/o James M./Betty Clifton Smith -- Angier

More About MALLIE C. SMITH:  
Burial: Sandy Grove Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County,  
North Carolina

iii. JOHN LEONARD PLEASANT, JR., b. 19 Jul 1908; d. 16 Apr 1975.

More About JOHN LEONARD PLEASANT, JR.:  
Burial: Sandy Grove Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County,  
North Carolina

**33. MEDDIE MELINDA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN** (*HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 13 Feb 1881 in North Carolina, and died 16 May 1968 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married JOSEPH WALTER DENNING, son of MATTHEW DENNING and NANCY ADAMS. He was born 26 Oct 1875 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 12 Aug 1950 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About MEDDIE MELINDA GODWIN:  
Burial: 17 May 1968, Angier Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About JOSEPH WALTER DENNING:  
Burial: 14 Aug 1950, Angier Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Occupation: Machinist

Children of MEDDIE GODWIN and JOSEPH DENNING are:

74. i. LYDA BARILLA<sup>6</sup> DENNING, b. 18 Jul 1901, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 10 Aug 1997.
75. ii. LOLA CHILTON DENNING, b. 10 Sep 1903, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 23 Apr 1991, Harnett County, North Carolina.
76. iii. LILLIAN HELEN DENNING, b. 27 Apr 1905; d. 15 Jul 1996, Cary, Wake County, North Carolina.
77. iv. LEON DENNING, b. 07 Feb 1908, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 16 Feb 1997, Harnett County, North Carolina.
78. v. LENORA DENNING, b. 24 Oct 1910, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 17 Feb 1992, Raleigh, North Carolina.
79. vi. FRANCES LOUISE DENNING, b. 27 Oct 1912, Angier, North Carolina; d. 16 Jan 2001, Virginia Beach, Virginia.
- vii. LESLIE DENNING, m. ? BYRD.
80. viii. JAMES WALTER DENNING, b. 03 Oct 1916, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 29 Jul 1972, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
- ix. BILL DENNING.

**34.** RUFUS JENTRY<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 10 Nov 1887 in North Carolina, and died 25 Jul 1974 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married REPSIE ANN GODWIN 03 Apr 1910 in Johnston County, North Carolina, daughter of ALFRED GODWIN and MARTHA SMITH. She was born 30 Jan 1890 in Chatham County, North Carolina, and died 30 Apr 1983 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for RUFUS JENTRY GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20298  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Rufus J.  
Obit. Pub. Date: 07/30/1974  
Other Pub. Info.: s/o Haywood and Mary Chelton Johnson Godwin, Godwin family Cemetery

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Rufus Godwin  
Death Date: 25 Jul 1974  
Death City: Erwin  
Death County: Johnston  
Death State: North Carolina  
Date Death Recorded: Jul 1964  
Death Age: 86

Birth Date: 1888

Residence County: Johnston  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1970-74

More About RUFUS JENTRY GODWIN:  
Burial: 27 Jul 1974, Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina  
Occupation: Farmer

Notes for REPSIE ANN GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20485  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Repsie Ann  
Obit. Pub. Date: 05/03/1983

Other Pub. Info.: Benson, d/o Aldred and Martha Smith Godwin, Godwin family Cemetery

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Repsie Ann Godwin  
Death Date: 30 Apr 1983  
Death City: Erwin  
Death County: Harnett  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 93  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 30 Jan 1890  
Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Johnston  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Father: G  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Social Security Number:  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1983-87

More About REPSIE ANN GODWIN:

Burial: 02 May 1983, Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for RUFUS GODWIN and REPSIE GODWIN:

North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: R J Godwin  
Gender: Male  
Estimated Birth Year: 1910

Spouse: Repsie Godwin  
Spouse Gender: Female  
Spouse Estimated Birth Year : 1910

Marriage Date: 3 Apr 1910  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About RUFUS GODWIN and REPSIE GODWIN:  
Marriage: 03 Apr 1910, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of RUFUS GODWIN and REPSIE GODWIN are:

81.
  - i. LEEWOOD "L. W."<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, b. 29 May 1911, North Carolina; d. 29 Apr 2000.
  - ii. VERA MAY GODWIN, b. 03 Aug 1915, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 16 May 1919, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for VERA MAY GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Vera May Godwin  
Date of Birth: 3 Aug 1915  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Rufus J  
Parent2 Name: Ripsie Ann  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
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Obituary ID: 19234  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Infant Daughter  
Obit. Pub. Date: 05/30/1919  
Other Pub. Info.: d/o Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Godwin

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Vera M Godwin  
Death Date: 16 May 1919  
Death County: Johnston  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 3

Birth Date: 1916

Race: White

Source: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About VERA MAY GODWIN:  
Burial: Godwin Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

- 82.     iii. MARY VEARL GODWIN, b. 08 Oct 1917, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 28 Jul 2001, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
- 83.     iv. ANNA LEE GODWIN, b. 04 Oct 1919, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- 84.     v. MERTIE WILMOUTH GODWIN, b. 25 Jan 1927, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 30 Oct 2007, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- 85.     vi. RUFUS JENTRY "TINK" GODWIN, JR., b. 20 Jun 1929, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 09 Mar 1995, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
- 86.     vii. GLENWOOD "BOOT" GODWIN, b. 29 Sep 1931, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 23 May 1998, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- viii. RENA GODWIN, m. ? SMITH.

**35.** MARY EDITH<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 18 Sep 1892 in North Carolina, and died 22 Jan 1976 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married JOHN DANIEL HARGIS. He was born 1892, and died 24 Aug 1954.

Notes for MARY EDITH GODWIN:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Mary Edith Hargis  
Death Date: 22 Jan 1976  
Death County: Johnston  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 83  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 18 Sep 1892

Residence County: Johnston  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: Home  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1976-77

More About MARY EDITH GODWIN:  
Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson Hardee Road, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for JOHN DANIEL HARGIS:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: John D Hargis  
Death Date: 24 Aug 1954  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 62

Birth Date: 1892

Source: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About JOHN DANIEL HARGIS:

Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson Hardee Road, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of MARY GODWIN and JOHN HARGIS are:

87.
  - i. MARY REBON<sup>6</sup> HARGIS, b. 04 Apr 1912, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 11 Dec 2006.
  - ii. OLLIE NATION HARGIS, b. 1914, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for OLLIE NATION HARGIS:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Ollie Nation Hargis  
Date of Birth: 1914  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Edie Godwin  
Parent2 Name: John D  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
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88.
  - iii. NETA CHELTON HARGIS, b. 22 Jul 1916, Johnston County, North Carolina.
89.
  - iv. ONEASE HARGIS, b. 07 Jul 1925, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 07 Sep 1996, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

**36.** MONNIE NATON<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Dec 1894 in North Carolina, and died 06 Sep 1928 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married GEORGE WILLIAM WEEKS, son of JAMES WEEKS and MARY THORNTON. He was born 11 Dec 1889, and died 14 Jan 1941 in Durham, North Carolina.

Notes for MONNIE NATON GODWIN:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Monnie M Weeks  
Death Date: 7 Sep 1928  
Death County: Johnston  
Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 32

Birth Date: 1896

Source: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About MONNIE NATON GODWIN:

Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson Hardee Road, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for GEORGE WILLIAM WEEKS:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: George W Weeks

Death Date: 14 Jan 1941

Death County: Durham

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 51

Birth Date: 1890

Race: White

Source: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About GEORGE WILLIAM WEEKS:

Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson Hardee Road, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of MONNIE GODWIN and GEORGE WEEKS are:

90. i. LEOLA PEARL<sup>6</sup> WEEKS, b. 19 Oct 1914, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 23 Feb 2007, Harnett County, North Carolina.
91. ii. RUBY EDNA WEEKS, b. 05 May 1916, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 03 Jun 2007, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iii. RALPH WEEKS, b. 20 May 1918, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 06 Feb 1986, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for RALPH WEEKS:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Ralph Weeks

Death Date: 6 Feb 1986

Death City: Raleigh

Death County: Wake

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 67

Burial Location: Cremation in state

Birth Date: 20 May 1918



Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Harnett

Residence State: North Carolina

Father: W

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Social Security Number:

Institution: General Hospital

Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1983-87

- 92. iv. VERNON WADE WEEKS, b. 02 Aug 1920, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 11 May 1960, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- v. MOSES MCKINLEY WEEKS, b. 22 Jan 1922, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- 93. vi. GEORGE WELDON WEEKS, b. 01 Feb 1924, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- 94. vii. VERA LEE WEEKS, b. 20 Jan 1926, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- viii. BABY BOY WEEKS, b. 05 Sep 1928; d. 05 Sep 1928.
- ix. BILL WEEKS.

**37.** ROBERT DANIEL<sup>5</sup> PARRISH (*GILLIE A.*<sup>4</sup> *GODWIN*, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Feb 1876. He married SARAH R. SUTTON 20 Dec 1899 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She was born Mar 1876.

Marriage Notes for ROBERT PARRISH and SARAH SUTTON:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: R D Parrish

Gender: Male

Spouse: Sarah R Sutton

Spouse Gender: Female

Marriage Date: 20 Dec 1899

Marriage County: Johnston

Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About ROBERT PARRISH and SARAH SUTTON:  
Marriage: 20 Dec 1899, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of ROBERT PARRISH and SARAH SUTTON are:

- i. JAMES A.<sup>6</sup> PARRISH, b. Abt. 1901.
- ii. SARAH VIRGIE PARRISH, b. 30 Sep 1906, Johnston County, North Carolina; d.

02 Jun 1984, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. (1) ? BYRD; m. (2)  
COOLIDGE MOORE, JR., 10 Sep 1974, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for SARAH VIRGIE PARRISH:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 36081  
Name (Age): MOORE, Virgie Parrish Byrd (78)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 06/05/1984  
Other Pub. Info.: b. 9-30-1906 JC, d/o Robert Daniel/Sarah Sutton Parrish,  
Barbour's Chapel Church Cemetery

Name: VIRGIE SARAH MOORE  
Age: 77 Years  
Death Date: 02 June 1984  
Place of Death: Smithfield, Johnston, North Carolina  
Birth Date: 30 September 1906  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Hospital: General Hospital  
Bed Code: 100 Beds & Over  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Father: PARRISH  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Residence: Johnston, North Carolina

More About SARAH VIRGIE PARRISH:  
Burial: Barbour's Chapel Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for SARAH PARRISH and COOLIDGE MOORE:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Coolidge Moore Jr.  
Gender: Male

Spouse: Virgie P Byrd  
Spouse Gender: Female

Marriage Date: 10 Sep 1974  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About COOLIDGE MOORE and SARAH PARRISH:  
Marriage: 10 Sep 1974, Johnston County, North Carolina

**38.** PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE"<sup>5</sup> PARRISH (*GILLIE A.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 07 Mar 1880, and died 12 May 1957. He married MARY "MOLLIE" FRANCIS PARRISH 27 Jan 1904 in Johnston County, North Carolina, daughter of HEWELL PARRISH and THANIE MESSER. She was born Sep 1881, and died Nov 1943.

Notes for PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE" PARRISH:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40841  
Name (Age): PARRISH, Peter Lawrence (Lonnie) (77)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 05/14/1957  
Other Pub. Info.: Rt. 1, Garner, NC

More About PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE" PARRISH:  
Burial: Parrish Family Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina  
Occupation: Farmer

More About MARY "MOLLIE" FRANCIS PARRISH:  
Burial: Parrish Family Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for PETER PARRISH and MARY PARRISH:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Peter Lawrence Parrish  
Gender: Male

Spouse: Mary Frances Parrish  
Spouse Gender: Female

Marriage Date: 27 Jan 1904  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About PETER PARRISH and MARY PARRISH:  
Marriage: 27 Jan 1904, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of PETER PARRISH and MARY PARRISH are:

95. i. MYRTLE LOIS<sup>6</sup> PARRISH, b. 17 Aug 1905; d. 14 Jul 1996, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
96. ii. NETTIE ANN PARRISH, b. 01 Dec 1908, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 05 Aug 2002, Johnston County, North Carolina.

iii. NAOMI PARRISH, b. 18 Apr 1911; d. 01 Oct 1948; m. ? ANDREWS.

More About NAOMI PARRISH:

Burial: Parrish Family Cemetery

97. iv. ROMNEY LAWRENCE PARRISH, b. Abt. 1914; d. 16 Oct 1971, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
98. v. EVIN HUAL PARRISH, b. 18 Nov 1918; d. 03 Nov 1969, Johnston County, North Carolina.
99. vi. LAVELLE MITCHELL PARRISH, b. 24 Oct 1919, North Carolina; d. 31 Jan 1991, Raleigh, North Carolina.
- vii. RUDELLE PARRISH, b. Jan 1926.

**39.** BEN PATRICK<sup>5</sup> DIXON (*ELIZABETH F. "BETTY"<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1887 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 25 Feb 1950 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married KATIE E. JOHNSON, daughter of JOHN JOHNSON and MARY GREGORY. She was born 18 Feb 1886 in North Carolina, and died 04 Jul 1931 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About BEN PATRICK DIXON:

Burial: 27 Feb 1950, Hodges Chapel Church Cemetery

Occupation: Farmer

More About KATIE E. JOHNSON:

Burial: 05 Jul 1931, Johnson Family Cemetery, Live Oak Road, Coats, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of BEN DIXON and KATIE JOHNSON are:

- i. ELSIE CARR<sup>6</sup> DIXON, b. 17 Feb 1912, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. AGNES ANN DIXON, b. 12 Jul 1924, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**40.** ANNIE CLARISSA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*PARROTT GREEN<sup>4</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 22 Oct 1879 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 22 Mar 1964. She married JOSEPH P. MATTHEWS Abt. 1899. He was born Abt. 1878.

Notes for ANNIE CLARISSA GODWIN:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 33790

Name (Age): MATTHEWS, Annie Clarissa (Mrs.) (84)

Obit. Pub. Date: 03/24/1964

Other Pub. Info.: d/o Partin/Nancy Stephenson Godwin -- J.C. native -- Erwin

More About ANNIE CLARISSA GODWIN:

Occupation: Mercantile Saleslady

More About JOSEPH P. MATTHEWS:

Occupation: Cotton Mill Foreman

More About JOSEPH MATTHEWS and ANNIE GODWIN:  
Marriage: Abt. 1899

Children of ANNIE GODWIN and JOSEPH MATTHEWS are:

100. i. KATIE<sup>6</sup> MATTHEWS, b. 19 Nov 1900, North Carolina; d. 03 Mar 1969, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. HOWARD MATTHEWS, b. Abt. 1902.
- iii. HETTIE MATTHEWS, b. Abt. 1904.
- iv. CONWAY MATTHEWS, b. Abt. 1906.
- v. WILLIAM MATTHEWS, b. Abt. 1908.
- vi. NAOMI MATTHEWS, b. Abt. 1911.
- vii. BENJAMIN MATTHEWS, b. Abt. 1914.
- viii. MARY MATTHEWS, b. Abt. 1919.

**41.** PARROTT HOSEA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*PARROTT GREEN<sup>4</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 09 Mar 1886 in North Carolina, and died 02 Apr 1957 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married (1) JULIA MORGAN Abt. 1907. She was born 13 Jun 1890, and died 14 May 1940. He married (2) EVA ? Aft. 1940.

Notes for PARROTT HOSEA GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20297  
Name (Age): GODWIN, P. Hosea (72)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 04/05/1957  
Other Pub. Info.: Rt. 1, Coats, NC

More About PARROTT HOSEA GODWIN:

Burial: 03 Apr 1957, Hannah's Creek Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Occupation: Farmer

More About JULIA MORGAN:

Burial: Hannah's Creek Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

More About PARROTT GODWIN and JULIA MORGAN:

Marriage: Abt. 1907

More About PARROTT GODWIN and EVA ?:

Marriage: Aft. 1940

Children of PARROTT GODWIN and JULIA MORGAN are:

- i. KERMIT H.<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, b. 11 Feb 1909; d. 07 Aug 1959.

Notes for KERMIT H. GODWIN:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20275

Name (Age): GODWIN, Kermit H. (50)

Obit. Pub. Date: 08/14/1959

Other Pub. Info.: native of Benson, NC

More About KERMIT H. GODWIN:

Burial: Hannah's Creek Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

- ii. CLEO R. GODWIN, b. Abt. 1914; m. ? JEFFRIES.
- iii. CATHERINE GODWIN, b. Abt. 1916; m. ? SCOTT.
- 101. iv. DOROTHY RUTH GODWIN, b. 08 Jan 1920, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 07 Aug 2006, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 102. v. CAMERON HOSEA GODWIN, b. 09 Jan 1921, North Carolina; d. 26 Sep 1975, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 103. vi. STACY WADE GODWIN, b. 21 Jun 1929, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 17 Jun 2004, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**42.** AGGIE J.<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*BENJAMIN FRANKLIN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 20 Aug 1877 in North Carolina, and died 10 May 1961 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married CORNELIA WOODALL 22 Nov 1899 in Johnston County, North Carolina, daughter of CLEM WOODALL and BETTY JOHNSON. She was born 08 Jan 1879 in North Carolina, and died 31 May 1972 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About AGGIE J. GODWIN:

Burial: 12 May 1961, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Coronary Occlusion

Occupation: Police Officer

More About CORNELIA WOODALL:

Burial: 01 Jun 1972, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardiac Arrest

Marriage Notes for AGGIE GODWIN and CORNELIA WOODALL:

North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Cornelia Woodall

Gender: Female

Estimated birth year: 1899

Spouse: A J Godwin

Spouse Gender: Male

Spouse Estimated Birth Year: 1899

Marriage Date: 22 Nov 1899

Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About AGGIE GODWIN and CORNELIA WOODALL:  
Marriage: 22 Nov 1899, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of AGGIE GODWIN and CORNELIA WOODALL are:

- i. FLOYD<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, b. 03 Nov 1902, North Carolina; d. 31 Oct 1968, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. MYRTLE GRIMES, 17 May 1930, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 30 Jan 1904; d. 15 Jun 1999, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

More About FLOYD GODWIN:

Burial: 02 Nov 1968, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Acute Coronary Thrombosis

Occupation: Farmer

Notes for MYRTLE GRIMES:

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

June 17, 1999

RALEIGH -- Mrs. Myrtle Grimes Godwin, 95, formerly of Coats, died Tuesday in Brian Center. Mrs. Godwin was a member of Coats Baptist Church. She was a homemaker. The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Friday in Rose & Graham Funeral Home chapel in Coats by John Gordon. Burial will be in the Coats City Cemetery.

Mrs. Godwin is survived by four grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends Friday from noon to 1:30 p.m. at the funeral home.

More About MYRTLE GRIMES:

Burial: 18 Jun 1999, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for FLOYD GODWIN and MYRTLE GRIMES:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 3000044

Date Filed: 05/17/1930 12:00:00 AM

Groom: GODWIN, FLOYD

Bride: GRIMES, MYRTLE

Maiden Surname: GRIMES

Date of Marriage: 05/17/1930

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More About FLOYD GODWIN and MYRTLE GRIMES:  
Marriage: 17 May 1930, Harnett County, North Carolina

104.    ii. FLORENCE ELIZABETH GODWIN, b. 23 Nov 1905, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 14 Jan 2007, Harnett County, North Carolina.  
      iii. CLEM HOWARD GODWIN, b. 04 Jun 1908, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 21 Jan 1982, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. LESSIE ROSSER, 20 Oct 1957, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About CLEM HOWARD GODWIN:  
Burial: 23 Jan 1982, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Cardiac Arrest  
Occupation: Grocery Merchant

Marriage Notes for CLEM GODWIN and LESSIE ROSSER:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 5700052  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: GODWIN, CLEM HOWARD  
Bride: FOX, LESSIE ROSSER  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 10/20/1957  
Volume: 1957  
Page: 52

More About CLEM GODWIN and LESSIE ROSSER:  
Marriage: 20 Oct 1957, Harnett County, North Carolina

- iv. ALICE GODWIN, b. Abt. 1911; m. HUEY WHITE.  
v. WILLIAM ROBERT GODWIN, b. 07 Aug 1914, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**43.** JAMES EVERETTE<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, SR. (*BENJAMIN FRANKLIN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 01 Dec 1879, and died 01 Jul 1956. He married LEACY ALLEN 19 Apr 1903 in Johnston County, North Carolina, daughter of TOM ALLEN and ?. She was born 18 Aug 1878, and died 24 Sep 1937.

Notes for JAMES EVERETTE GODWIN, SR.:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20260  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Jim E., Sr. (78)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 07/06/1956  
Other Pub. Info.: Rt. 3, Benson, s/o Ben F. and Sarah Dixon Godwin

More About JAMES EVERETTE GODWIN, SR.:  
Burial: Roselawn Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina



Notes for LEACY ALLEN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20406  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Leacy (59)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 10/01/1937  
Other Pub. Info.: Benson, d/o Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Allen, w/o J. E. Godwin

More About LEACY ALLEN:  
Burial: Roselawn Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for JAMES GODWIN and LEACY ALLEN:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Leacy Allen  
Gender: Female  
Estimated birth year: 1903

Spouse: James Godwin  
Spouse Gender: Male  
Spouse Estimated Birth Year: 1903

Marriage Date: 19 Apr 1903  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About JAMES GODWIN and LEACY ALLEN:  
Marriage: 19 Apr 1903, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of JAMES GODWIN and LEACY ALLEN are:

- i. VARA<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, b. Abt. 1906.
105. ii. JOHN RALPH GODWIN, b. 20 Jan 1908; d. 12 Jan 1988, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- iii. JUNIUS BENJAMIN GODWIN, b. 02 Apr 1914; d. 28 Dec 1984, Macon County, North Carolina.

Notes for JUNIUS BENJAMIN GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20273  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Junius B.  
Obit. Pub. Date: 01/01/1985  
Other Pub. Info.: b. 2 Apr 1914, s/o Jim and Leacy Allen Godwin, Barbour's Chapel Church Cemetery

Name: JUNIUS BENJAMIN GODWIN  
Age: 70 Years  
Death Date: 28 December 1984  
Place of Death: Macon, North Carolina  
Birth Date: 02 April 1914  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Divorced  
Autopsy: No  
Hospital: Nursing and Rest Homes  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Father: GODWIN  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Residence: Macon, North Carolina

More About JUNIUS BENJAMIN GODWIN:  
Burial: Barbour's Chapel Church Cemetery

- iv. BLANCHE GODWIN, b. Abt. 1918.
- v. JAMES EVERETTE GODWIN, JR., b. 17 Oct 1919; d. 24 Jun 1975, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for JAMES EVERETTE GODWIN, JR.:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20409  
Name (Age): GODWIN, James Everette  
Obit. Pub. Date: 06/27/1975  
Other Pub. Info.: s/o James Everette and Leacy Allen Godwin

Name: JAMES EVERETTE GODWIN JR  
Death Date: 24 June 1975  
Place of Death: Johnston  
Marriage: Married  
Residence: Johnston, North Carolina  
Institution: Home  
Attendant: Physician  
Method of Burial: Burial in state  
Autopsy: No

**44.** DELLA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*BENJAMIN FRANKLIN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 12 Jul 1890, and died 01 Oct 1984 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married CARR O. BARBER, son of WILLIS BARBER and BETTIE OLIVE. He was born 20 Nov 1893, and died 30 Mar 1980 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for DELLA GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 3048  
Name (Age): BARBER, Della Godwin  
Obit. Pub. Date: 10/02/1984  
Other Pub. Info.: b. 13 Feb 1890, d/o Benjamin and Sarah Benson Godwin, w/o Carr Barber,  
Four Oaks Cemetery

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Della Barber  
Death Date: 1 Oct 1984  
Death County: Johnston  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 94  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 13 Jul 1890  
Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Johnston  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Father: G  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Social Security Number:  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: Home  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1983-87

More About DELLA GODWIN:  
Burial: Four Oaks Town Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for CARR O. BARBER:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 3036  
Name (Age): BARBER, Carr O. (86)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 04/01/1980  
Other Pub. Info.: b. 20 Nov 1893, WW I Vet., s/o Willis H. and Betty Oliver Barber, Four  
Oaks Cemetery

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Carr Olive Barber  
Death Date: 30 Mar 1980  
Death City: Smithfield  
Death County: Johnston  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 86  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 20 Nov 1893  
Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Johnston  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Social Security Number:  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1979-82

More About CARR O. BARBER:

Burial: Four Oaks Town Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Child of DELLA GODWIN and CARR BARBER is:

- i. BETTY JEAN<sup>6</sup> BARBER, b. 07 Aug 1934, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for BETTY JEAN BARBER:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Betty Jean Barbour  
Date of Birth: 7 Aug 1934  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Carl  
Parent2 Name: Dela Godwin  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 21  
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**45.** WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN<sup>5</sup> GODWIN (*BENJAMIN FRANKLIN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1896, and died Dec 1967. He married MAE BELLE DIXON 30 Jun

1918 in Johnston County, North Carolina, daughter of WALTER DIXON and ARDELIA RYALS. She was born 15 Sep 1899 in North Carolina, and died 14 Jul 1977 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20426  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Jennings Bryan (71)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 12/19/1967  
Other Pub. Info.: Benson, s/o Benji F. and Sarah Dixon Godwin

Notes for MAE BELLE DIXON:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20452  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Mae Dixon  
Obit. Pub. Date: 07/19/1977  
Other Pub. Info.: d/o Walter Patrick and Ardelia Ryals Dixon, Roselawn Cemetery

Name: MAE BELLE GODWIN  
Birth Date: 15 September 1899  
Death Date Date: 14 July 1977  
Gender: Female  
Age: 77 Years  
Place of Death: Dunn, Harnett, North Carolina  
Residence: , Johnston, North Carolina  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Attendant: Physician  
Mode of Burial: Burial in state  
Hospital: General Hospital 50-99 Beds  
Race: White

More About MAE BELLE DIXON:  
Burial: 17 Jul 1977, Roselawn Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Acute Brain Infarction

Marriage Notes for WILLIAM GODWIN and MAE DIXON:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: J B Godwin  
Gender: Male  
Estimated Birth Year: 1918

Spouse: May Dixon  
Spouse Gender: Female

Spouse Estimated Birth Year : 1918

Marriage Date: 30 Jun 1918

Marriage County: Johnston

Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About WILLIAM GODWIN and MAE DIXON:

Marriage: 30 Jun 1918, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of WILLIAM GODWIN and MAE DIXON are:

- i. WILLIAM BRYAN<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, b. 03 Mar 1919, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 13 Jun 1990, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for WILLIAM BRYAN GODWIN:

Name: WILLIAM BRYAN GODWIN

Age: 71 Years

Death Date: 13 June 1990

Place of Death: Dunn, Harnett, North Carolina

Birth Date: 03 March 1919

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Never Married

Autopsy: No

Hospital: General Hospital

Bed Code: 50-99 Beds

Attendant: Physician

Burial: Burial in state

Father: GODWIN

State of Birth: North Carolina

Residence: Johnston, North Carolina

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20326

Name (Age): GODWIN, William Bryan (71)

Obit. Pub. Date: 06/15/1990

Other Pub. Info.: s/o Jennings B. and Mae Belle Dixon Godwin, Roselawn Cemetery, Benson, NC

More About WILLIAM BRYAN GODWIN:

Burial: Roselawn Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardio Respiratory Arrest

Occupation: Hospital Purchasing Agent

- ii. CHARLES THURSTON GODWIN, b. 11 Sep 1920, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- iii. MARGARET LOUISE GODWIN, b. 15 Oct 1922, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. ? PIPKIN.
- 106. iv. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN GODWIN, b. 25 May 1925; d. 21 May 1989, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
- 107. v. EARL HOWARD GODWIN, b. 05 Dec 1927, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 05 Jan 2006, Rocky Mount, North Carolina.
- 108. vi. MCKENDREE L. "MACK" GODWIN, b. 09 Mar 1930, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 12 May 2001, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- vii. WALTER LEE GODWIN, b. 18 Feb 1933, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for WALTER LEE GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Walter Lee Godwin  
Date of Birth: 18 Feb 1933  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: May Belle Dixon  
Parent2 Name: Wm Jennings Bryan  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
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- viii. PEGGY ANN GODWIN, b. 12 Aug 1936; m. ? MCDADE.
- 109. ix. ROY JOE GODWIN.

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**46.** JULIA<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*JAMES H.*<sup>5</sup>, *AVERA E.*<sup>4</sup>, *STEPHENSON A.*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1886, and died Dec 1966. She married WILLIE N. PARRISH 20 Feb 1907 in Johnston County, North Carolina, son of FLOYD PARRISH and LAURA PARRISH. He was born 09 Apr 1883, and died 03 May 1958.

Notes for JULIA GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40522  
Name (Age): PARRISH, Julia (80)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 12/20/1966  
Other Pub. Info.: Clayton, d/o James/Delia Green Godwin, w/o Willie N. Parrish

Notes for WILLIE N. PARRISH:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40922  
Name (Age): PARRISH, W. N. (74)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 05/02/1958  
Other Pub. Info.: s/o Floyd B./Jane F. Parrish -- Clayton

More About WILLIE N. PARRISH:  
Burial: Knollwood Cemetery, Wilson's Mills Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for JULIA GODWIN and WILLIE PARRISH:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Will N Parrish  
Gender: Male

Spouse: Julia Godwin  
Spouse Gender: Female

Marriage Date: 20 Feb 1907  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About WILLIE PARRISH and JULIA GODWIN:  
Marriage: 20 Feb 1907, Johnston County, North Carolina

Child of JULIA GODWIN and WILLIE PARRISH is:  
i. WAYLON D.<sup>7</sup> PARRISH, b. 26 Jul 1917; d. 05 Sep 1948.

Notes for WAYLON D. PARRISH:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40929  
Name (Age): PARRISH, Waylon D. (31)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 09/07/1948  
Other Pub. Info.: s/o Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Parrish -- Knollwood Cemetery -- Clayton

More About WAYLON D. PARRISH:  
Burial: Knollwood Cemetery, Wilson's Mills Township, Johnston County, North Carolina

**47.** LESLIE GRANT<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*WILLIAM ELLIS*<sup>5</sup>, *AVERA E.*<sup>4</sup>, *STEPHENSON A.*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 16 Apr 1904, and died 07 Nov 1966. He married THELMA THOMPSON 20 Dec 1924



in Johnston County, North Carolina. She was born 18 Dec 1905, and died 16 Apr 1946.

Notes for LESLIE GRANT GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20437  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Leslie Grant (62)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 11/11/1966  
Other Pub. Info.: Smithfield, s/o William Ellis and Ellen Overman Godwin

More About LESLIE GRANT GODWIN:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, North Carolina

Notes for THELMA THOMPSON:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20436  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Leslie G. (Mrs.) (40)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 04/19/1946  
Other Pub. Info.: nee: Thelma Thompson, Bethesda Church Cemetery

More About THELMA THOMPSON:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for LESLIE GODWIN and THELMA THOMPSON:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Leslie Grant Godwin  
Gender: Male  
Estimated Birth Year: 1924

Spouse: Thelma Thompson  
Spouse Gender: Female  
Spouse Estimated Birth Year: 1924

Marriage Date: 20 Dec 1924  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About LESLIE GODWIN and THELMA THOMPSON:  
Marriage: 20 Dec 1924, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of LESLIE GODWIN and THELMA THOMPSON are:  
i. INFANT DAUGHTER<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. 1926; d. 1926.

More About INFANT DAUGHTER GODWIN:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, North Carolina

- ii. WILLIAM L. GODWIN, b. 18 Sep 1928, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for WILLIAM L. GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: William L Godwin  
Date of Birth: 18 Sep 1928  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Leslie Grant  
Parent2 Name: Thelma Thompson  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
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- iii. THELMA HAZEL GODWIN, b. 19 Apr 1932, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for THELMA HAZEL GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Thelma Hazel Godwin  
Date of Birth: 19 Apr 1932  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Leslie Grant  
Parent2 Name: Thelma Thompson  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 19  
Page: 859

- iv. ELLEN EMMOGENE GODWIN, b. 1940; d. 1942.

More About ELLEN EMMOGENE GODWIN:  
Burial: Bethesda Baptist Church Cemetery, Clayton, North Carolina

**48.** LEVI PARSON<sup>6</sup> SURLES (*ALBERT FOREST<sup>5</sup>, MARY ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> JOHNSON, ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 14 Oct 1889 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 03 Jan 1972 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married ABIE LEWIS 15 Aug 1911 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About LEVI PARSON SURLES:  
Burial: Duke Crematory, Durham, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Cardiac Decompensation  
Occupation: Landlord

Marriage Notes for LEVI SURLES and ABIE LEWIS:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 1100169  
Date Filed: 08/12/1911 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: SURLES, LEVI R  
Bride: LEWIS, ABIE  
Maiden Surname: LEWIS  
Date of Marriage: 08/15/1911  
Volume: 1911  
Page: 169

More About LEVI SURLES and ABIE LEWIS:  
Marriage: 15 Aug 1911, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of LEVI SURLES and ABIE LEWIS is:

- i. DORIS LEE<sup>7</sup> SURLES, b. 27 Sep 1913, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**49.** ROBERT E.<sup>6</sup> SURLES (*ALBERT FOREST<sup>5</sup>, MARY ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> JOHNSON, ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 23 May 1893 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 13 Aug 1943 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married VARA LEE BARNES 25 Jul 1915 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She was born 09 Jun 1897 in South Carolina, and died 25 Aug 1981 in Fuquay - Varina, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for ROBERT E. SURLES:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Robert E Surles  
Race: White  
Age: 50  
Date of Birth: 1893  
Date of Death: 13 Aug 1943  
Death County: Harnett  
Death State: North Carolina  
Source Vendor: NC State Archives. North Carolina Deaths, 1908-67

More About ROBERT E. SURLES:  
Burial: 15 Aug 1943, Greenwood Cemetery, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Cerebral Hemorrhage  
Occupation: Service Station Operator

Notes for VARA LEE BARNES:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Vara Lee Denning

Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Social Security Number:  
Age: 84  
Date of Birth: 9 Jun 1897  
Birth Location: South Carolina  
Birth State: South Carolina  
Residence City: Dunn  
Residence County: Harnett  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Date of Death: 25 Aug 1981  
Death City: Fuquay Varina  
Death County: Wake  
Death State: North Carolina  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: Nursing and Rest Homes  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial Location: Burial in state  
Source Vendor: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1979-82

#### Social Security Death Index

Name: Vara Denning  
SSN:  
Last Residence: 27607 Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina, United States of America  
Born: 9 Jun 1897  
Died: Aug 1981  
State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (1973)

#### Marriage Notes for ROBERT SURLES and VARA BARNES: Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 1500192  
Date Filed: 07/23/1915 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: SURLES, R E  
Bride: BARNES, VARA LEE  
Maiden Surname: BARNES  
Date of Marriage: 07/25/1915  
Volume: 1915  
Page: 192

More About ROBERT SURLES and VARA BARNES:  
Marriage: 25 Jul 1915, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of ROBERT SURLES and VARA BARNES is:

- i. EDWARD E.<sup>7</sup> SURLES, b. 10 Jan 1918, Portsmouth, Virginia; d. 13 Jul 1965, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ANNIE VIOLA GUY; b. 22 Feb 1914, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 21 Sep 2003, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

More About EDWARD E. SURLES:

Burial: 15 Jul 1965, Mabry-Guy-Pleasant Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

Occupation: Office Clerk

Notes for ANNIE VIOLA GUY:

Dunn Daily Record

Tuesday, September 23, 2003

Viola Guy Surles, 89, of 338 Guy Road, Angier, died Sunday. She, along with her sister, Gurlie Guy Reavis, opened the first beauty shop in Angier.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 10 a.m. at Bryan-Lee Funeral Home Chapel in Angier by the Rev. Fred Pleasant. Burial will follow in the Guy-Mabry Cemetery.

Survivors include several nieces and nephews; and great-nieces and great-nephews. The family will receive friends tonight from 6 to 8 at Bryan-Lee Funeral Home in Angier.

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Annie Viola Surles

[Annie Viola Guy]

Gender: Female

Race: White

Hispanic Origin: Non-Hispanic

Marital Status: Widowed

Social Security Number:

Father's Last Name: Guy

Age: 89 Years

Date of Birth: 22 Feb 1914

Birth County: Harnett

Birth State: North Carolina

Residence County: Harnett

Residence State: North Carolina

Residence Zip Code: 27501

Education: 1 year of college

Date of Death: 21 Sep 2003

Death City: Raleigh

Death County: Wake

Death State: North Carolina

Autopsy: Autopsy Not Performed

Autopsy Findings: Autopsy findings were not considered in determining cause of death  
Institution: Hospital Inpatient  
Hospital Name: RALEIGH COMMUNITY HOSPITAL  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial Location: Burial in-state  
Recorded Date: 23 Sep 2003  
Source Vendor: North Carolina State Center for Health Statistics

More About ANNIE VIOLA GUY:

Burial: Mabry-Guy-Pleasant Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

**50.** ANNIE LULA<sup>6</sup> SURLES (*ALBERT FOREST<sup>5</sup>, MARY ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> JOHNSON, ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 28 Oct 1901 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 22 Dec 1943 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married BENJAMIN CALVIN DENNING, son of WILLIS DENNING and JULIA PARKER. He was born 04 Aug 1893 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 11 Nov 1960 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About ANNIE LULA SURLES:

Burial: 24 Dec 1943, Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About BENJAMIN CALVIN DENNING:

Burial: 13 Nov 1960, Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Occupation: Coal Dealer/Farmer

Children of ANNIE SURLES and BENJAMIN DENNING are:

- i. HARRY FRANKLIN<sup>7</sup> DENNING, b. 10 May 1918, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 27 Feb 1941, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About HARRY FRANKLIN DENNING:

Burial: 28 Feb 1941, Greenwood Cemetery

Cause of Death: Cerebral Embolism

Occupation: Student/Dairyman

- ii. WALTER MAXTON DENNING, b. 08 Oct 1919, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iii. ANNA LOU DENNING, b. 23 Aug 1921.
110. iv. GRANVILLE MORRISON "SHAMROCK" DENNING, b. 23 Apr 1923, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 22 Aug 2001, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- v. JULIA ELIZABETH DENNING, b. 02 Mar 1925, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**51.** IRENE<sup>6</sup> SURLES (*ALBERT FOREST<sup>5</sup>, MARY ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> JOHNSON, ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 07 Nov 1911 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 19 May 1988 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married HERMAN NEIGHBORS 05 Jan 1929 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He was born 25 Oct 1904, and died 02 Jan 1965.

More About IRENE SURLES:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cancer of the Lung

Occupation: Licensed Practical Nurse

More About HERMAN NEIGHBORS:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for IRENE SURLES and HERMAN NEIGHBORS:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 2900137

Date Filed: 01/05/1929 12:00:00 AM

Groom: NEIGHBORS, HERMAN

Bride: SURLES, IRENE

Maiden Surname: SURLES

Date of Marriage: 01/05/1929

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More About HERMAN NEIGHBORS and IRENE SURLES:

Marriage: 05 Jan 1929, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of IRENE SURLES and HERMAN NEIGHBORS are:

- i. MARTHA ANN<sup>7</sup> NEIGHBORS, b. 17 Aug 1932, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. IDA SUE NEIGHBORS, b. 01 Oct 1939, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iii. GEORGE ALBERT NEIGHBORS, b. 10 Jan 1942, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**52.** MCKINLEY<sup>6</sup> SURLES (*ALBERT FOREST*<sup>5</sup>, *MARY ELIZABETH*<sup>4</sup> *JOHNSON*, *ELIZABETH*<sup>3</sup> *GODWIN*, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 24 Aug 1914 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 20 Nov 1996 in Fayetteville, Cumberland County, North Carolina. He married RUBY ?.

Notes for MCKINLEY SURLES:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: McKinley Surles

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Social Security Number:

Father's Last Name: Surles

Age: 82

Date of Birth: 24 Aug 1914

Residence City: Fayetteville

Residence County: Cumberland

Residence State: North Carolina  
Date of Death: 20 Nov 1996  
Death City: Fayetteville  
Death County: Cumberland  
Death State: North Carolina  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: Nursing and Rest Homes  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial Location: Cremation in state  
Source Vendor: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1993-96

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
November 21, 1996

McKinley "Mack" Surles, 82, of 1911 McGougan Road, Fayetteville, died Wednesday in Highland House Nursing Home. He was a member of Snyder Memorial Baptist Church. Mr. Surles was the former assistant superintendent of building inspection for the city of Fayetteville.

A memorial service will be conducted at 3 p.m. Friday in the Snyder Memorial Baptist Church chapel by the Rev. Sandy Saunders. Arrangements are being handled by Highland Funeral Service & Crematory.

Mr. Surles is survived by his wife, Ruby C. Surles; a daughter, Kimberly A. Strickland of Kodiak, Alaska; a stepdaughter, Ginger D. Nichols of Apex; and three grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at the home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Snyder Memorial Baptist Church, 701 Westmount Drive, Fayetteville, 28305.

More About MCKINLEY SURLES:

Occupation: Assistant Superintendent of Building Inspection for the City of Fayetteville

Child of MCKINLEY SURLES and RUBY ? is:

- i. KIMBERLY ANN<sup>7</sup> SURLES, b. 31 Aug 1968, Cumberland County, North Carolina; m. ? STRICKLAND.

Notes for KIMBERLY ANN SURLES:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Kimberly Ann Surles  
Date of Birth: 31 Aug 1968  
Birth County: Cumberland  
Parent1 Name: Mc Kinley Surles  
Roll Number: B\_C029\_66006  
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**53.** BENNY<sup>6</sup> ENNIS (*BENNETT*<sup>5</sup>, *KISIAH*<sup>4</sup> *GODWIN*, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1907. He married GEORGIA ?. She was born Abt. 1908.

Children of BENNY ENNIS and GEORGIA ? are:

- i. WILLIAM B.<sup>7</sup> ENNIS, b. Abt. 1927.
- ii. B. ODELL ENNIS, b. Abt. 1929.

**54.** LOVETTE KIRKLAND<sup>6</sup> ENNIS (*BENNETT*<sup>5</sup>, *KISIAH*<sup>4</sup> *GODWIN*, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 12 Mar 1919 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 02 Feb 1985 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married JEWEL ROOHKIE BARBOUR, daughter of LARKIN BARBOUR and ANNA MEDLIN. She was born 28 Mar 1919 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 15 Mar 1989 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for LOVETTE KIRKLAND ENNIS:

Name: LOVETTE KIRKLAND ENNIS

Age: 65 Years

Death Date: 02 February 1985

Place of Death: Erwin, Harnett, North Carolina

Birth Date: 12 March 1919

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Divorced

Autopsy: No

Hospital: General Hospital

Bed Code: 20-34 Beds

Attendant: Physician

Burial: Burial in state

Father: ENNIS

State of Birth: North Carolina

Residence: Erwin, Harnett, North Carolina

More About LOVETTE KIRKLAND ENNIS:

Burial: 03 Feb 1985, Ennis Family Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Respiratory Failure/COPD

Occupation: Carpenter

Notes for JEWEL ROOHKIE BARBOUR:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Jewel Rooke Barbour

Date of Birth: 28 Mar 1919

Gender: Female

Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Anna Medlin  
Parent2 Name: L E  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
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North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Jewel Roohkie Ennis  
Death Date: 15 Mar 1989  
Death City: Raleigh  
Death County: Wake  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 69  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 28 Mar 1919  
Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Wake  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Father: Barbour  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Social Security Number:  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1988-92

Children of LOVETTE ENNIS and JEWEL BARBOUR are:

- i. PRISCILLA SUE<sup>7</sup> ENNIS, b. 04 Dec 1949, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. CORA JEAN ENNIS, b. 27 Aug 1951, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**55.** LOLA PEARL<sup>6</sup> ENNIS (*CALVIN<sup>5</sup>, KISIAH<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 04 Sep 1916 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 31 Jul 1986 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married JOHN NELSON STEPHENSON, son of JOHN STEPHENSON and UNA BYRD. He was born 27 Dec 1913 in North Carolina, and died 05 Jul 1962 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for LOLA PEARL ENNIS:

Name: LOLA PEARL STEPHENSON  
Age: 69 Years  
Death Date: 31 July 1986

Place of Death: Erwin, Harnett, North Carolina  
Birth Date: 04 September 1916  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Autopsy: No  
Hospital: General Hospital  
Bed Code: 20-34 Beds  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Father: ENNIS  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Residence: Harnett, North Carolina

More About LOLA PEARL ENNIS:

Burial: 02 Aug 1986, Coats City Cemetery, Coats, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About JOHN NELSON STEPHENSON:

Burial: 07 Jul 1962, Coats City Cemetery, Coats, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cerebral Hemorrhage

Occupation: Farmer

Children of LOLA ENNIS and JOHN STEPHENSON are:

- i. BARBARA NELL<sup>7</sup> STEPHENSON, b. 14 Nov 1935; m. ? STEWART.
- ii. JUDY LANG STEPHENSON, b. 25 Jul 1943.
111. iii. BRENDA FAYE STEPHENSON, b. 30 Apr 1946.
- iv. RICKY STEPHENSON, b. 24 Dec 1949.

**56.** GLADYS A.<sup>6</sup> ENNIS (*CALVIN*<sup>5</sup>, *KISIAH*<sup>4</sup> *GODWIN*, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 18 Jul 1920 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 05 Dec 1981 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married HARRY DANIEL EARNSHAW 12 Feb 1946 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of HARRY EARNSHAW and SARAH JOHNSON. He was born 01 Sep 1900 in Hillsboro, Florida, and died 22 Jan 1978 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for GLADYS A. ENNIS:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Gladys Aldien Ennis

Date of Birth: 1920

Gender: Female

Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Calvin

Parent2 Name: Maude King

Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001

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More About GLADYS A. ENNIS:

Burial: 06 Dec 1981, Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Metastatic Carcinoma/Probably Pancreas

Occupation: Textile Worker

More About HARRY DANIEL EARNSHAW:

Burial: 24 Jan 1978, Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Massive Coronary Occlusion

Occupation: Textile Worker

Marriage Notes for GLADYS ENNIS and HARRY EARNSHAW:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 4600056

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM

Groom: EARNSHAW, HARRY D

Bride: ENNIS, GLADYS

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 02/12/1946

Volume: 1946

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More About HARRY EARNSHAW and GLADYS ENNIS:

Marriage: 12 Feb 1946, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of GLADYS ENNIS and HARRY EARNSHAW is:

- i. WINNIE GRACE<sup>7</sup> EARNSHAW, b. 13 Sep 1946, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. LAMAR HUGHES TART, 06 May 1966, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 06 Jan 1947, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for WINNIE EARNSHAW and LAMAR TART:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6600238

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM

Groom: TART, LA MAR HUGHES

Bride: EARNSHAW, WINNIE GRACE

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 05/06/1966

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More About LAMAR TART and WINNIE EARNSHAW:

Marriage: 06 May 1966, Harnett County, North Carolina

**57.** HOWARD RUDOLPH<sup>6</sup> ENNIS (*CALVIN*<sup>5</sup>, *KISIAH*<sup>4</sup> *GODWIN*, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was

born 09 Jul 1923 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married (1) ANNIE RUTH ?. He married (2) DOROTHY ELEASE ?.

Child of HOWARD ENNIS and ANNIE ? is:

112. i. HOWARD WAYNE<sup>7</sup> ENNIS, b. 28 Mar 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Children of HOWARD ENNIS and DOROTHY ? are:

ii. LINWOOD DALE<sup>7</sup> ENNIS, b. 15 Jun 1954, Harnett County, North Carolina.

iii. KAREN FAYE ENNIS, b. 16 May 1956, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**58.** LUCILLE<sup>6</sup> ENNIS (*CALVIN<sup>5</sup>, KISIAH<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 15 Nov 1925 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 31 May 1993 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married CLELLON C. STEPHENSON, son of JOHN STEPHENSON and UNA BYRD. He was born 03 Feb 1921 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 24 Sep 1990 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for LUCILLE ENNIS:

Name: LUCILLE ENNIS STEPHENSON

Age: 67 Years

Death Date: 31 May 1993

Place of Death: Dunn, Harnett, North Carolina

Birth Date: 15 November 1925

Gender: Female

Race: White

Marital Status: Widowed

Autopsy: No

Hospital: General Hospital

Bed Code: 50-99 Beds

Attendant: Physician

Burial: Burial in state

Father: ENNIS

State of Birth: North Carolina

Residence: Harnett, North Carolina

More About LUCILLE ENNIS:

Burial: Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Pneumonia/Transitional Carcinoma of Bladder

Occupation: Presser/Garment Factory

Notes for CLELLON C. STEPHENSON:

Name: CLELLON STEPHENSON

Age: 69 Years

Death Date: 24 September 1990

Place of Death: Erwin, Harnett, North Carolina

Birth Date: 03 February 1921

Gender: Male

Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Autopsy: No  
Hospital: General Hospital  
Bed Code: 20-34 Beds  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Father: STEPHENSON  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Residence: Harnett, North Carolina

More About CLELLON C. STEPHENSON:

Burial: Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of LUCILLE ENNIS and CLELLON STEPHENSON are:

- i. CHARLES RAY<sup>7</sup> STEPHENSON, b. 19 Nov 1947.
- ii. REBECCA ANN STEPHENSON, b. 02 Sep 1949; m. ? STEWART.
113. iii. RAYVON STEPHENSON, b. 22 Jun 1951, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 19 Apr 1996, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iv. TONY CURTIS STEPHENSON, b. 01 Aug 1953.
114. v. SANDY LYNN STEPHENSON, b. 22 Jun 1966.

**59.** GARNER ROSE<sup>6</sup> ENNIS (*CALVIN<sup>5</sup>, KISIAH<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 10 May 1928 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 06 Mar 2007 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married DORIS FAYE MASSENGILL.

Notes for GARNER ROSE ENNIS:

Rose & Graham Funeral Home Notice

03/07/2007

Mr. Garner Rose Ennis age 78 of 444 E. Stewart St. died Tuesday at his residence. Funeral Services will be 11:00AM Friday at the Coats Baptist Church in Coats. Officiating will be the Rev. Jesse Mooney. Burial will follow in the Coats City Cemetery.

Mr. Ennis was born May 10, 1928 in Johnston County to the late Calvin & Maude Rose Ennis. He was preceded in death by Sisters, Gladys Earnshaw, Pearl Stephenson, and Lucille Stephenson. He was a retired textile employee of 46 years with Erwin Mills and was a member of the Coats Baptist Church.

Surviving are Wife, Doris Faye Ennis who retired after 17 years with Belk's in Dunn; Daughter & Son-in-Law, Cavanna E. & Chuck Hamilton of Hope Mills; Sons & Daughter-in-Laws, Michael Ennis of Emerald Isle, Edwin G. & Sheila Ennis and Jayson B. & Wendy Ennis both of Dunn; Brother, Rudolph Ennis of Coats; Ten Grandchildren and Seven Great-Grandchildren. Several nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats, 7:00PM to 9:00PM Thursday evening and at other times at the home. Flowers are welcomed however memorials

may be made to the Coats Baptist Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 297 Coats, NC 27521.

More About GARNER ROSE ENNIS:

Burial: 09 Mar 2007, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Alzheimer's/Dementia

Occupation: Textile Worker

Children of GARNER ENNIS and DORIS MASSENGILL are:

- i. CAVANNA ROSE<sup>7</sup> ENNIS, b. 23 Feb 1953, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. CHUCK HAMILTON.
- ii. MICHAEL SHANE ENNIS, b. 16 Jan 1956, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iii. EDWIN GEORGE ENNIS, b. 07 May 1963, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. SHEILA ?.
- iv. JAYSON BRENT ENNIS, b. 14 Mar 1968, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. WENDY ?.

**60.** ALPHA<sup>6</sup> STEPHENSON (*EFFIE CELIA*<sup>5</sup> *GODWIN*, *RICHARD BRYANT*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 19 Oct 1906 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 03 Apr 1999 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married (1) JOSEPH BENJAMIN UPCHURCH, son of CHARLIE UPCHURCH and JO MCKEE. He was born 03 Nov 1900 in North Carolina, and died 23 Mar 1972 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married (2) WILLIAM ROY SEARS 14 Apr 1979 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of MERRILL SEARS and GENEVA HOLLAND. He was born 05 Sep 1902 in Wake County, North Carolina, and died 27 Jul 1997 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About ALPHA STEPHENSON:

Burial: Lakeside Memorial Gardens

More About JOSEPH BENJAMIN UPCHURCH:

Burial: 25 Mar 1972, Lakeside Memorial Gardens

Occupation: Farmer

More About WILLIAM ROY SEARS:

Burial: Bethel Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Occupation: Textile Worker

Marriage Notes for ALPHA STEPHENSON and WILLIAM SEARS:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 7900239

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM

Groom: SEARS, WILLIAM ROY

Bride: UPCHURCH, ALPHA STEPHENSON

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 04/14/1979

Volume: 1979

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More About WILLIAM SEARS and ALPHA STEPHENSON:  
Marriage: 14 Apr 1979, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of ALPHA STEPHENSON and JOSEPH UPCHURCH are:

115. i. CATHERINE<sup>7</sup> UPCHURCH, b. 07 Apr 1925, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 25 Nov 2003, Harnett County, North Carolina.
116. ii. THURLEAN UPCHURCH.
- iii. PEGGY JEAN UPCHURCH, b. 07 Mar 1938, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? MORGAN.

**61.** GARLAND R.<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*WALTER E.*<sup>5</sup>, *RICHARD BRYANT*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 05 Mar 1910, and died 06 Jul 1936. He married EXIE GREGORY, daughter of ANDREW GREGORY and MINNIE HARWELL. She was born 14 Aug 1909 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 26 Jul 1949 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for GARLAND R. GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20620  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Garland (24)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 07/10/1936  
Other Pub. Info.: s/o Walt Godwin, suicide

More About GARLAND R. GODWIN:  
Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Suicide  
Occupation: Farmer

Notes for EXIE GREGORY:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20230  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Exie (39)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 07/29/1949  
Other Pub. Info.: Benson, family Cemetery

More About EXIE GREGORY:  
Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Injuries from Automobile Accident

Child of GARLAND GODWIN and EXIE GREGORY is:  
i. RALPH<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. Abt. 1929.

**62.** WILEY WADE<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*GROVER CLEVELAND*<sup>5</sup>, *RICHARD BRYANT*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>,



*JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 29 Jul 1909, and died 19 Dec 1995 in Raleigh, North Carolina. He married GERTRUDE STEPHENSON, daughter of DANIEL STEPHENSON and SARAH MCLAMB. She was born 12 Sep 1912 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 13 Dec 2003 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for WILEY WADE GODWIN:  
GODWIN, WILEY WADE

Death Date: 19 December 1995  
Gender: Male  
Place of Death: Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina  
Race: White  
Residence: , Harnett, North Carolina  
Age: 86 Years  
Autopsy: No  
Marital Status: Married  
Hospital: General Hospital Bed Code: 100 Beds & Over  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Birth Date: 29 July 1909  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Father: GODWIN

More About WILEY WADE GODWIN:  
Burial: Devotional Gardens, Dunn, North Carolina

Notes for GERTRUDE STEPHENSON:  
Dunn Daily Record  
Monday, December 15, 2003

Gertrude Stephenson Godwin, 91, of 602 Cobb Road, Benson, died Saturday at her home.

She was born Sept. 12, 1912, in Johnston County to the late Daniel Green and Ellen McLamb Stephenson. She was preceded in death by her husband, Wiley W. Godwin; a son, Shelton Wade Godwin; and sisters, Agnes A. Olive, Belle S. Marshall, Linda Gregory and May Dell Stephenson. She was a homemaker and a member of Banner Chapel Advent Christian Church.

Funeral services will be held today at 2 p.m. at Banner Chapel Advent Christian Church in Benson by the Revs. Glenn Fell and Tony Kopanski. Burial will follow in Devotional Gardens in Dunn.

Survivors include a son, Don Godwin and wife Pattie of Benson; a brother, Arthur Stephenson of Richmond, Va.; grandchildren, Dana A. Godwin, Susanne D. Riggs, Angie Lee and Mitchell Clayton; and eight great-grandchildren.

A service of Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson.

More About GERTRUDE STEPHENSON:  
Burial: Devotional Gardens, Dunn, North Carolina

Children of WILEY GODWIN and GERTRUDE STEPHENSON are:

- i. SHELTON WADE<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. 30 Jun 1930; d. 1983; m. LOLA LONG.

Notes for SHELTON WADE GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20312  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Shelton Wade  
Obit. Pub. Date: 08/30/1983  
Other Pub. Info.: b. 30 Jun 1930, s/o Wiley Wade Godwin, h/o Lola Long  
Godwin, Devotional Gardens, Dunn, NC

More About SHELTON WADE GODWIN:  
Burial: Devotional Gardens, Harnett County, North Carolina

- ii. DON GODWIN, m. PATTY WILLIAMS.

**63.** LAYTON ARVISDALE<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*GROVER CLEVELAND<sup>5</sup>, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 09 Sep 1917 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 06 Dec 1993 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married VIOLET FRANCES PARRISH, daughter of STEPHEN PARRISH and SADIE ADAMS. She was born 15 Apr 1914, and died 02 May 1998 in Huntersville, North Carolina.

Notes for LAYTON ARVISDALE GODWIN:  
GODWIN, LAYTON ARVISDALE

Death Date: 06 December 1993  
Gender: Male  
Place of Death: Erwin, Harnett, North Carolina  
Race: White  
Residence: , Harnett, North Carolina  
Age: 76 Years  
Autopsy: No  
Marital Status: Married  
Hospital: General Hospital Bed Code: 20-34 Beds  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Birth Date: 12 September 1917  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Father: GODWIN

More About LAYTON ARVISDALE GODWIN:  
Burial: Bethel Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery

Notes for VIOLET FRANCES PARRISH:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 19255  
Name (Age): GODWIN, Violet Parrish (84)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 05/05/1998  
Other Pub. Info.: b. 4-15-1914, Harnett Co., d/o Stephen/Sadie A. Parrish, w/o Layton A. Godwin

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC) - May 5, 1998

Mrs. Violet Parrish Godwin ,84, died Saturday at the Huntersville Oaks Nursing Home in Huntersville, NC. Funeral service will be 3 p.m. Tuesday at the Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats. Officiating will be the Rev. Ronnie Byrd. Burial will follow in Bethel Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Rt. 2, Angier.

Mrs. Godwin was born April 15, 1914 in Harnett County to the late Stephen and Sadie Adams Parrish. She was a homemaker and a member of Bethel Primitive Baptist Church. Mrs. Parrish was married to the late Layton A. Godwin.

Surviving: daughter, Jone G. Coats of Davidson; sons, Wayne Godwin of Taylorsville, Richard Godwin of Kansas City, MO; sisters, Mozelle P. Stephenson of Durham, Alma P. Smith of Raleigh; brothers, Enos Parrish and H. A. Parrish, both of Dunn; five grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren.

Family will be at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats 2-3 p.m. Tuesday prior to the service.

More About VIOLET FRANCES PARRISH:  
Burial: 05 May 1998, Bethel Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery

Children of LAYTON GODWIN and VIOLET PARRISH are:

- i. JOAN FRANCES<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. 12 Sep 1942; m. ? COATS.
- ii. WAYNE GODWIN.
- iii. RICHARD LORENZO GODWIN, b. 23 Aug 1946.

**64.** EXCELLE<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*GROVER CLEVELAND<sup>5</sup>, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 21 Aug 1920, and died 27 Nov 1976 in Chapel Hill, North Carolina. She married DATHAN EARL FLOWERS, son of JOHN FLOWERS and MARTHA POLLARD. He was born 23 May 1919 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 06 Sep 1984 in Cumberland County, North Carolina.

Notes for EXCELLE GODWIN:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Excelle Godwin Flowers  
Death Date: 27 Nov 1976  
Death City: Chapel Hill (P)  
Death County: Orange  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 56  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 21 Aug 1920

Residence County: Harnett  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

More About EXCELLE GODWIN:

Burial: Flowers, Grimes, Barbour Cemetery, Pope Lake Road, Harnett County, North Carolina

Notes for DATHAN EARL FLOWERS:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Dathan Flowers  
Death Date: 6 Sep 1984  
Death City: Fayetteville  
Death County: Cumberland  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 65  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 23 May 1919  
Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Wake  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Father: F  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: Veterans Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

More About DATHAN EARL FLOWERS:

Burial: Flowers, Grimes, Barbour Cemetery, Pope Lake Road, Harnett County, North Carolina

Occupation: United States Army WWII

Children of EXCELLE GODWIN and DATHAN FLOWERS are:

- i. GLENDA GAY<sup>7</sup> FLOWERS, b. 13 Feb 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. JENNIFER EARLE FLOWERS, b. 25 Feb 1950, Harnett County, North Carolina;  
m. (1) JAMES HALFORD COLLINS, JR., 15 Aug 1971, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. (2) JOEL RAY ADAMS, 01 Mar 1981, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 10 Sep 1939.

Marriage Notes for JENNIFER FLOWERS and JAMES COLLINS:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 7100050  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: COLLINS JR, JAMES HALFORD  
Bride: FLOWERS, JENNIFER EARLE  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 08/15/1971  
Volume: 1971  
Page: 50

More About JAMES COLLINS and JENNIFER FLOWERS:  
Marriage: 15 Aug 1971, Harnett County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for JENNIFER FLOWERS and JOEL ADAMS:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 8100003  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: ADAMS, JOEL RAY  
Bride: FLOWERS, JENNIFER EARLE  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 03/01/1981  
Volume: 1981  
Page: 3

More About JOEL ADAMS and JENNIFER FLOWERS:  
Marriage: 01 Mar 1981, Harnett County, North Carolina

- iii. GAYLE FLOWERS.

**65.** LOTTIE MAE<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*GROVER CLEVELAND*<sup>5</sup>, *RICHARD BRYANT*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1926. She married PAUL LEE POLLARD 18 Jul 1947 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of CALLIE POLLARD and CORNEA COBB. He was born 31 May 1923, and died 25 Apr 1991 in Cumberland County, North Carolina.

Notes for PAUL LEE POLLARD:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Paul Lee Pollard  
Death Date: 25 Apr 1991  
Death City: Fayetteville  
Death County: Cumberland  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 67  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 31 May 1923  
Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Harnett  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Father: Pollard  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: Veterans Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Marriage Notes for LOTTIE GODWIN and PAUL POLLARD:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 4700191  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: POLLARD, PAUL LEE  
Bride: GODWIN, LOTTIE MAE  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 07/18/1947  
Volume: 1947  
Page: 191

More About PAUL POLLARD and LOTTIE GODWIN:  
Marriage: 18 Jul 1947, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of LOTTIE GODWIN and PAUL POLLARD are:

- i. KENNETH WAYNE<sup>7</sup> POLLARD, b. 04 Jul 1948.
- ii. KEITH RAY POLLARD, b. 04 Jul 1948, North Carolina; d. 09 May 1966, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About KEITH RAY POLLARD:  
Burial: 11 May 1966, Bethel Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Injuries from Automobile Accident

- iii. DANNY POLLARD, b. 23 Nov 1952.
- iv. DEBBY POLLARD, b. 23 Nov 1952.
- v. JODY PAUL POLLARD, b. 18 Mar 1966, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. (1) TINA MARIE GILBERT, 16 May 1987, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 15 Nov 1962, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. (2) CAROLE ANN TART, 29 Jul 1995, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 31 Dec 1962, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for JODY POLLARD and TINA GILBERT:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 8700306  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: POLLARD, JODY PAUL  
Bride: BLACKMON, TINA MARIE GILBERT  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 05/16/1987  
Volume: 1987  
Page: 306

More About JODY POLLARD and TINA GILBERT:  
Marriage: 16 May 1987, Harnett County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for JODY POLLARD and CAROLE TART:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 9500294  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: POLLARD, JODY PAUL  
Bride: JONES, CAROLE ANN TART  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 07/29/1995  
Volume: 1995  
Page: 294

More About JODY POLLARD and CAROLE TART:  
Marriage: 29 Jul 1995, Harnett County, North Carolina

**66.** HALFORD DWIGHT<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*GROVER CLEVELAND*<sup>5</sup>, *RICHARD BRYANT*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 04 Jun 1933, and died 10 Jun 2002. He married PRISCILLA LANE ?.

Notes for HALFORD DWIGHT GODWIN:  
News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

June 14, 2002

COATS -- Halford D. Godwin, 69, died Monday, June 10, 2002, at Cape Fear Valley Medical Center. Mr. Godwin was a retired civil service employee of 39 years at Fort Bragg. Graveside service 11 a.m. Monday, June 17, 2002, at the Godwin Family Cemetery in Harnett County.

Survivors: son, Dr. Maurice Godwin of Fayetteville, and sister, Lottie Pollard of Coats.

Memorials may be made to: National World War II Memorial, 2300 Clarendon Boulevard, Suite 501, Arlington, VA 22201 or call 800-639- 4WW2.

Highland Funeral Service & Crematory of Fayetteville is in charge of arrangements.

More About HALFORD DWIGHT GODWIN:

Burial: Godwin Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Military service: United States Air Force/Korea

Child of HALFORD GODWIN and PRISCILLA ? is:

- i. GROVER MAURICE<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. 23 Jan 1958, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**67.** CLYDA<sup>6</sup> BARNES (*FLONNIE FRANCES<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 10 Oct 1912 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 17 Sep 2006 in Fayetteville, North Carolina. She married THOMAS HENRY WILMOTH. He was born 13 Aug 1910, and died 22 Dec 1982 in Fayetteville, North Carolina.

Notes for CLYDA BARNES:

Dunn Daily Record

09/19/2006

Clyda Barnes Wilmoth, 93, of Coats died Sunday morning, Sept. 17, 2006, at Cape Fear Valley Medical Center. The Johnston County native was the daughter of the late Nessie and Flonnie G. Barnes. She was preceded in death by brothers, Dennis Barnes and Wallace Barnes; sisters, Marie Clayton, Pearl Ingram and Reba Parrish; and a son-in-law, Haywood Williams. She was a member of Gift Primitive Baptist Church in Coats. A funeral service will be held 11 a.m. Wednesday at Skinner & Smith Funeral Home in Dunn by the Rev. Louis Strickland and Elder Fred Williams. Burial will follow at Coats City Cemetery.

Survivors include daughters, Gloria Hough and husband Stewart of Fayetteville, Rosa Sharp and husband Ralph of Neeses, S.C., Mary Williams of Charlotte, Becky Taylor and husband Earl of Dunn; grandchildren, Lisa Barfield, Lori Murphy, Randy Sharp, Donna Livingston, Rhonda Robinson, Romona Midkiff, Gina Sinacori, Kim Christy, Tommy Williams and Chad Taylor; great-grandchildren, Lauren Raymes, Emily Raymes, Ryan Murphy, Amanda Chisom, Rachelle Jeffcoat, Zackary Livingston, Christopher Midkiff, Dustin Midkiff, Reece Sinacori, Bryce Sinacori and Connor Sinacori; great-great-grandchild, Riley Jeffcoat; and a sister, Etta Cobb of Angier.



The family will receive friends tonight from 6 to 8 at the funeral home.

More About CLYDA BARNES:

Burial: 20 Sep 2006, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Notes for THOMAS HENRY WILMOTH:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Thomas Henry Wilmoth

Death Date: 22 Dec 1982

Death City: Fayetteville

Death County: Cumberland

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 72

Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 13 Aug 1910

Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Harnett

Residence State: North Carolina

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Social Security Number:

Autopsy: No

Institution: General Hospital

Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1979-82

More About THOMAS HENRY WILMOTH:

Burial: Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of CLYDA BARNES and THOMAS WILMOTH are:

- i. GLORIA FAYE<sup>7</sup> WILMOUTH, b. 17 Jul 1936, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. STEWART HOUGH.
- ii. MARY ETTA WILMOUTH, b. 14 Dec 1942, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. HAYWOOD WILLIAMS.
- iii. REBECCA FLONNIE WILMOUTH, b. 28 Oct 1947, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. EARL TAYLOR.
- iv. ROSA LEE WILMOUTH, m. RALPH SHARP.

**68.** MARIE<sup>6</sup> BARNES (*FLONNIE FRANCES<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 07 Feb 1915 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 07 Aug 2002 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married PAUL JONES CLAYTON, son of ZEB CLAYTON and BESSIE ?. He was born 20 Sep 1913 in Person County, North Carolina, and died 30 Jul 1990 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for MARIE BARNES:  
News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
August 8, 2002

COATS -- Mrs. Marie Barnes Clayton, 87, of 1280 Hwy. 55, died Wednesday. She was a native of Johnston County, born February 7, 1915, to the late Nassie L. and Flonnie Frances Godwin Barnes. She was a retired employee of Cornell-Doublier and the widow of Paul J. Clayton.

Funeral service will be 3 p.m. Friday at Coats Baptist Church. Rev. Jesse Mooney will officiate. Burial will follow in Lakeside Memorial Gardens.

Surviving: sons, Boyd C. Clayton of McGee's Crossroads, Barnes J. Clayton of Coats; sisters, Etta B. Cobb of Buies Creek, Clyda B. Wilmouth of Coats; brother, Wallace E. Barnes of Angier; grandchildren, Sharon McLamb, Mitchell Clayton, Angie Beasley, Robbie Clayton; great-grandchildren, Brandy Lee, Jill McLamb, Jared McLamb, Kyle Clayton, Haley Ennis, Casey Clayton.

Memorials may be made to Coats Baptist Church, PO Box 297, Coats, NC 27521 or to Community Hospice. The family will be at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats from 7-9 p.m. Thursday.

More About MARIE BARNES:  
Burial: 09 Aug 2002, Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Metastatic Endometrial Carcinoma  
Occupation: Assembler/Electronics

More About PAUL JONES CLAYTON:  
Burial: Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Sudden Cardiac Death  
Occupation: Painter/Commercial

Children of MARIE BARNES and PAUL CLAYTON are:

- i. BOYD CARLTON<sup>7</sup> CLAYTON, b. 14 Dec 1938, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. PEGGIE DENNING.
117. ii. BARNES JONES CLAYTON, b. 21 Sep 1940, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 12 Mar 2006, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**69.** DENNIS OPIE<sup>6</sup> BARNES (*FLONNIE FRANCES<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 10 Jan 1917 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 05 May 1997 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married (1) NELLIE MOORE. He married (2) ELEANOR LOUISE ENNIS Aft. 1937. She was born 23 Jun 1919, and died 07 Aug 2002 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for DENNIS OPIE BARNES:  
Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
May 6, 1997

ANGIER -- Dennis Opie Barnes, 80, of 2090 County Line Road died Monday in Betsy Johnson Memorial Hospital in Dunn. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday in Rose & Graham Funeral Home chapel in Coats. Burial will be in Lakeside Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Barnes is survived by his wife, Eleanor E. Barnes; two daughters, Janie B. Figueroa of New Bern and Kay F. Wiggins of Angier; a son, Opie L. Barnes of Elgin, S.C.; three sisters, Clyda Wilmo and Marie Clayton, both of Coats, and Etta Cobb of Angier; a brother, Wallace Barnes of Angier; and four grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home.

More About DENNIS OPIE BARNES:

Burial: 07 May 1997, Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Bronchiogenic Carcinoma

Occupation: Carpenter

Notes for ELEANOR LOUISE ENNIS:

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

August 8, 2002

ANGIER -- Mrs. Eleanor Ennis Barnes, 83, of 2090 County Line Road, died Wednesday, Aug. 7, 2002, in her home. Mrs. Barnes was a homemaker. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Friday in Coats Baptist Church by the Rev. Jesse Mooney. Burial will be in Lakeside Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Barnes is survived by a son, Opie Barnes of Angier; a daughter, Janie Figuerosa of New Bern; four sisters, Lucille Clayton, Estelle Canaday, Atheline Johnson and Jackie Stallings, all of Smithfield; and four grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats.

More About ELEANOR LOUISE ENNIS:

Burial: 09 Aug 2002, Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About DENNIS BARNES and ELEANOR ENNIS:

Marriage: Aft. 1937

Child of DENNIS BARNES and NELLIE MOORE is:

118. i. KAY FRANCES<sup>7</sup> BARNES, b. 27 May 1937, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Children of DENNIS BARNES and ELEANOR ENNIS are:

119. ii. OPIE LOUIS<sup>7</sup> BARNES, b. 27 Jul 1945, Harnett County, North Carolina.

iii. JANIE LOUISE BARNES, b. 16 Dec 1957, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? FIGUEROA.

**70.** WALLACE EARL<sup>6</sup> BARNES (*FLONNIE FRANCES<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>,*

*JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 25 Mar 1919, and died 13 Nov 2003. He married (1) EVIE LUCILLE ENNIS. He married (2) PEGGY ELAINE HORTON Aft. 1956. She was born 1939.

Notes for WALLACE EARL BARNES:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 60319

Name (Age): Barnes, Wallace Earl (84)

Obit. Pub. Date: 11/14/2003

Other Pub. Info.: Died 11/13/03. Born 3/25/19. Son of the late Nassie L. & Flonnie Godwin Barnes. Husband of Peggy Horton Barnes. Buried at Devotional Gardens, Dunn.

More About WALLACE EARL BARNES:

Burial: 15 Nov 2003, Devotional Gardens, Dunn, North Carolina

More About WALLACE BARNES and PEGGY HORTON:

Marriage: Aft. 1956

Children of WALLACE BARNES and EVIE ENNIS are:

- i. PATRICIA ANN<sup>7</sup> BARNES, b. 26 Feb 1941, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? HAM.
- ii. WALLACE EARL BARNES, JR., b. 22 Jul 1945, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. GLORIA MAE BRASWELL, 05 Feb 1964, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for WALLACE BARNES and GLORIA BRASWELL:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Wallace Earl Barnes Jr.

Gender: Male

Estimated Birth Year: 1964

Spouse: Gloria Mae Braswell

Spouse Gender: Female

Spouse Estimated Birth Year : 1964

Marriage Date: 5 Feb 1964

Marriage County: Johnston

Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About WALLACE BARNES and GLORIA BRASWELL:

Marriage: 05 Feb 1964, Johnston County, North Carolina

- iii. DANNY WEBB BARNES, b. 16 Feb 1956, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Child of WALLACE BARNES and PEGGY HORTON is:

iv. TONYA LYNN<sup>7</sup> BARNES, b. 18 Sep 1963.

**71.** PEARL<sup>6</sup> BARNES (*FLONNIE FRANCES<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 30 May 1921 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 11 Nov 1985 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. She married JOHN EDWARD INGRAHAM, son of THEODORE INGRAHAM and DEBORAH REID. He was born 27 Aug 1924 in Wake County, North Carolina, and died 13 Jul 2004 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for PEARL BARNES:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Pearl Barnes

Date of Birth: 31 May 1921

Gender: Female

Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Flonnie Godwin

Parent2 Name: Nassie

Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001

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North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Pearl Barnes Ingraham

Death Date: 11 Nov 1985

Death City: Raleigh

Death County: Wake

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 64

Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 30 May 1921

Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence City: Dunn

Residence County: Harnett

Residence State: North Carolina

Father: B

Gender: Female

Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Autopsy: No

Institution: General Hospital

Attendant: Physician

More About PEARL BARNES:

Burial: Devotional Gardens, Dunn, North Carolina

Notes for JOHN EDWARD INGRAHAM:

U.S. World War II Army Enlistment Records, 1938-1946

Name: John E Ingraham

Birth Year: 1923

Race: White, citizen

Nativity State or Country: North Carolina

State: North Carolina

County or City: Harnett

Enlistment Date: 30 Jan 1943

Enlistment State: North Carolina

Enlistment City: Fort Bragg

Branch: Branch Immaterial - Warrant Officers, USA

Branch Code: Branch Immaterial - Warrant Officers, USA

Grade: Private

Grade Code: Private

Term of Enlistment: Enlistment for the duration of the War or other emergency, plus six months, subject to the discretion of the President or otherwise according to law

Component: Selectees (Enlisted Men)

Source: Civil Life

Education: 2 years of high school

Civil Occupation: Airplane Engine Mechanic or Film Editor, Motion Picture (Motion picture cutter. ) or Public Relations Man or Playwright (Motion picture writer.) or Reporter

Marital Status: Single, without dependents

Height: 72

Weight: 195

Social Security Death Index

Name: John E. Ingraham

SSN:

Last Residence: 28335 Dunn, Harnett, North Carolina, United States of America

Born: 27 Aug 1924

Died: 13 Jul 2004

State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (Before 1951)

Dunn Daily Record

07/14/2004

John E. Ingraham, 79, of Erwin, formerly of Dunn, died Tuesday at Wake Medical Center in Raleigh. The Wake County native was a son of the late Theodore and Deborah Reid Ingraham.

Mr. Ingraham was a retired certified public accountant with John E. Ingraham and Associates. He was preceded in death by his wife, Pearl Barnes Ingraham. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 3 p.m. at Skinner & Smith Funeral Home. A private burial will be held at a later date.

Surviving are daughters, Linda Norris of Dunn, and Ella Anderson and husband John of Erwin; a brother J. Reid Ingraham of Rocky Mount; a sister, Ruth Flowers of Richmond, Va.; and grandchildren, Phillip A. Norris and Valerie Pastore.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Grove Presbyterian Church, 1358 Jonesboro Road, Dunn, N.C. 28334 or to Hospice of Harnett County, 111-A North Ellis Ave., Dunn, N.C. 28334. The family will receive friends from 1:30 until 3 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

More About JOHN EDWARD INGRAHAM:  
Burial: Devotional Gardens, Dunn, North Carolina  
Ordination: Certified Public Accountant

Children of PEARL BARNES and JOHN INGRAHAM are:

- i. LINDA DONICE<sup>7</sup> INGRAHAM, b. 16 Oct 1952, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? NORRIS.
- ii. ELLA YVONNE INGRAHAM, b. 22 Mar 1957, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. JOHN ANDERSON.

**72.** ETTA<sup>6</sup> BARNES (*FLONNIE FRANCES<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 24 Nov 1923 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married TYSON RAY COBB, son of ANDERSON COBB and ROSELLA DENNING. He was born 06 Mar 1920.

Children of ETTA BARNES and TYSON COBB are:

- i. TYRONE RAY<sup>7</sup> COBB, b. 28 Mar 1958, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. TAMMY MARIE COBB, b. 01 Nov 1961, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**73.** REBA FRANCES<sup>6</sup> BARNES (*FLONNIE FRANCES<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 27 Jan 1926, and died 07 Jun 1972 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. She married ROSCOE DURWOOD PARRISH, son of CELLIE PARRISH and LUCY LANGDON. He was born 21 Apr 1924 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for REBA FRANCES BARNES:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40853  
Name (Age): PARRISH, Reba Frances Barnes (Mrs.) (46)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 06/09/1972  
Other Pub. Info.: Benson, NC

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Reba Parrish  
Death Date: 7 Jun 1972  
Death City: Raleigh  
Death County: Wake  
Death State: North Carolina  
Date Death Recorded: Jun 1962  
Death Age: 46

Birth Date: abt. 1926

Residence County: Johnston  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Social Security Death Index

Name: Reba Parrish  
SSN:  
Born: 27 Jan 1926  
Died: Jun 1972  
State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (Before 1951)

Children of REBA BARNES and ROSCOE PARRISH are:

- i. REBA CAROLYN<sup>7</sup> PARRISH, b. 14 Jan 1950, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. TERESA GAY PARRISH, b. 16 Jun 1956.

**74.** LYDA BARILLA<sup>6</sup> DENNING (*MEDDIE MELINDA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 18 Jul 1901 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 10 Aug 1997. She married ROMIE C. PRICE, SR. 15 Mar 1923 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He was born 19 Jul 1892, and died 23 Jul 1975 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for LYDA BARILLA DENNING:  
News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
August 11, 1997

Lyda D. Price, 96, died Sunday. She was the daughter of the late Walter and Meddie M. Denning of Angier. Funeral service 11 a.m. Tuesday at Overby-Johnson Funeral Home Chapel. Officiating are Rev. Robert Coats and grandson, Craig Price, owner of the Seven Sisters Restaurant that was established in honor of Mrs. Price and her sisters.



Surviving: sons, Marshall L., David W., and Ben L. Price, all of Angier; one sister, Louise Britt of Virginia Beach, VA; 11 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband Romie C. Price Sr.; son, R.C. Price Jr. and sisters, Lola Gardner, Lillian McLeod, Leon Stephenson, Lenora Matthews, Leslie "Pete" Byrd; brothers, James W. and Bill Denning.

Family will receive friends at the funeral home 7-9 p.m. Monday; all other times at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Ben Price, 103 South Pleasant Street, Angier.

More About LYDA BARILLA DENNING:

Burial: 12 Aug 1997, Angier Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Notes for ROMIE C. PRICE, SR.:

Name: ROMIE PRICE

Death Date: 23 July 1975

Place of Death: Raleigh, Wake

Marriage: Married

Residence: Harnett, North Carolina

Institution: Mental Hospital

Attendant: Physician

Method of Burial: Burial in state

Autopsy: No

More About ROMIE C. PRICE, SR.:

Burial: Angier Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for LYDA DENNING and ROMIE PRICE:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 2300193

Date Filed: 03/15/1923 12:00:00 AM

Groom: PRICE, RONNIE C

Bride: DENNING, LYDA BARILLA

Maiden Surname: DENNING

Date of Marriage: 03/15/1923

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More About ROMIE PRICE and LYDA DENNING:

Marriage: 15 Mar 1923, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of LYDA DENNING and ROMIE PRICE are:

- i. ROMIE C.<sup>7</sup> PRICE, JR., b. 07 Dec 1923, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 10

Mar 1993, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for ROMIE C. PRICE, JR.:

Name: ROMIE PRICE JR

Age: 69 Years

Death Date: 10 March 1993

Place of Death: Harnett, North Carolina

Birth Date: 07 December 1923

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Divorced

Autopsy: No

Hospital: Home

Attendant: Physician

Burial: Burial in state

Father: PRICE SR

State of Birth: North Carolina

Residence: Harnett, North Carolina

More About ROMIE C. PRICE, JR.:

Burial: Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Alveolar Cell Carcinoma of the Lung

Occupation: Fireman

- ii. MARSHALL L. PRICE.
- iii. DAVID WALTER PRICE, b. 19 Feb 1928, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iv. BEN L. PRICE.

**75.** LOLA CHILTON<sup>6</sup> DENNING (*MEDDIE MELINDA*<sup>5</sup> *GODWIN*, *HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 10 Sep 1903 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 23 Apr 1991 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married GLENN EVERETT GARDNER 28 Dec 1926 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of EVERETT GARDNER and MOLLIE WILLIAMS. He was born 12 Sep 1904 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 19 Oct 1973 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About LOLA CHILTON DENNING:

Burial: Harnett Memorial Park Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardiac Arrest

Occupation: Sales Lady

More About GLENN EVERETT GARDNER:

Burial: 21 Oct 1973, Harnett Memorial Park Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardiac Arrest

Occupation: Farmer

Marriage Notes for LOLA DENNING and GLENN GARDNER:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 2600084  
Date Filed: 12/28/1926 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: GARDNER, GLENN EVERETT  
Bride: DENNING, LOLA CHILTON  
Maiden Surname: DENNING  
Date of Marriage: 12/28/1926  
Volume: 1926  
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More About GLENN GARDNER and LOLA DENNING:  
Marriage: 28 Dec 1926, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of LOLA DENNING and GLENN GARDNER are:

- i. ALICE DENNING<sup>7</sup> GARDNER, b. 06 Nov 1927; m. ? STEPHENSON.
- ii. MARY MEDDIE GARDNER, b. 06 Jan 1930, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**76.** LILLIAN HELEN<sup>6</sup> DENNING (*MEDDIE MELINDA*<sup>5</sup> *GODWIN*, *HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 27 Apr 1905, and died 15 Jul 1996 in Cary, Wake County, North Carolina. She married JOSEPH MALCOM MCLEOD 21 May 1922 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He was born 12 May 1902, and died 21 Aug 1960.

Notes for LILLIAN HELEN DENNING:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Lillian Mcleod  
Death Date: Jul 1996  
Death City: Cary  
Death County: Wake  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 91  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 27 Apr 1905

Residence County: Harnett  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Father: Denning  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Social Security Number:  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1993-96

## Social Security Death Index

Name: Lillian McLeod

SSN:

Last Residence: 27501 Angier, Harnett, North Carolina, United States

Born: 27 Apr 1905

Died: 15 Jul 1996

State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (1951-1952)

More About LILLIAN HELEN DENNING:

Burial: Harnett Memorial Park Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About JOSEPH MALCOM MCLEOD:

Burial: Harnett Memorial Park Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for LILLIAN DENNING and JOSEPH MCLEOD:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 2200156

Date Filed: 05/20/1922 12:00:00 AM

Groom: MCLEOD, JOSEPH M

Bride: DENNING, LILLIAN H

Maiden Surname: DENNING

Date of Marriage: 05/21/1922

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More About JOSEPH MCLEOD and LILLIAN DENNING:

Marriage: 21 May 1922, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of LILLIAN DENNING and JOSEPH MCLEOD are:

120. i. DONALD EARL<sup>7</sup> MCLEOD, b. 05 Jun 1923, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 30 Nov 2006, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
121. ii. MARY FRANCES MCLEOD, b. 28 Jun 1927, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 20 Feb 2007, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
- iii. BETTY ANNE MCLEOD, b. 05 Jun 1935, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? FISHER.
- iv. LILLIAN FAYE MCLEOD, b. 30 Apr 1938, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? CREECH.
- v. PEGGIE LOU MCLEOD, b. 22 Jul 1939, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? FRANKLIN.
- vi. DAVID ANDREW MCLEOD, b. 28 Oct 1941, Harnett County, North Carolina.

- vii. BOB MCLEOD.
- viii. RAY MCLEOD.
- ix. WESLEY MCLEOD.

**77.** LEON<sup>6</sup> DENNING (*MEDDIE MELINDA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 07 Feb 1908 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 16 Feb 1997 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married ENOCH ARDEN STEPHENSON, son of JOSEPH STEPHENSON and HETTIE GUY. He was born 15 May 1905 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 17 Jan 1966 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About LEON DENNING:

Burial: Harnett Memorial Park Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Occupation: Electronics

More About ENOCH ARDEN STEPHENSON:

Burial: 19 Jan 1966, Harnett Memorial Park Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Pneumonia

Occupation: Farmer

Child of LEON DENNING and ENOCH STEPHENSON is:

- 122. i. LINDA LEE<sup>7</sup> STEPHENSON, b. 15 Aug 1939, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 19 Jan 2008, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**78.** LENORA<sup>6</sup> DENNING (*MEDDIE MELINDA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 24 Oct 1910 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 17 Feb 1992 in Raleigh, North Carolina. She married JASPER ODELL MATTHEWS 17 Jan 1934 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He was born 1911, and died 1954.

Notes for LENORA DENNING:  
MATTHEWS, LENORA

Death Date: 17 February 1992

Gender: Female

Place of Death: Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina

Race: White

Residence: , Harnett, North Carolina

Age: 81 Years

Autopsy: No

Marital Status: Widowed

Hospital: Nursing and Rest Homes

Attendant: Physician

Burial: Burial in state

Birth Date: 24 October 1910

State of Birth: North Carolina

Father: DENNING

More About LENORA DENNING:

Burial: Neill's Creek Baptist Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About JASPER ODELL MATTHEWS:

Burial: Neill's Creek Baptist Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for LENORA DENNING and JASPER MATTHEWS:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 3400202

Date Filed: 01/17/1934 12:00:00 AM

Groom: MATTHEWS, ODELL

Bride: DENNING, LENORA

Maiden Surname: DENNING

Date of Marriage: 01/17/1934

Volume: 1934

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More About JASPER MATTHEWS and LENORA DENNING:

Marriage: 17 Jan 1934, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of LENORA DENNING and JASPER MATTHEWS are:

123. i. JIMMIE ODELL<sup>7</sup> MATTHEWS, b. 21 Feb 1935, Harnett County, North Carolina;  
d. 08 Oct 1999, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. NATHAN REX MATTHEWS, b. 07 Mar 1945, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**79.** FRANCES LOUISE<sup>6</sup> DENNING (*MEDDIE MELINDA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 27 Oct 1912 in Angier, North Carolina, and died 16 Jan 2001 in Virginia Beach, Virginia. She married RICHARD BRITT.

Notes for FRANCES LOUISE DENNING:

The News & Observer

January 18, 2001

VIRGINIA BEACH - Louise Denning Britt, 88, passed away peacefully, Tuesday morning, January 16, 2001. Louise was born in Angier, NC. She was the daughter of the late Joseph Walter Denning and Mettie Melinda Godwin Denning and was preceded in death by six sisters and two brothers. She was the widow of Richard Britt and was preceded in death by her daughter, Dottie Britt Smith.

She is survived by three grandchildren; Gail Kuykendall and her husband, Jonathan of Kitty Hawk, NC; Lisa Wildermuth and her husband, Bruce, of Frederick, MD; and Brit Smith of Virginia Beach; four great-grandchildren, Chelsea and Aaron Kuykendall, Amber and Corinne Wildermuth, and son-in-law, A.J. Smith and his wife, Pat.

Louise will be greatly missed by her many family members and dear friends. A memorial

service will be conducted at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, at Kellum Funeral Home, Rosewood Chapel, 601 N. Witchduck Road, Virginia Beach by The Reverend David Davenport.

The family will receive loved ones and friends following the service at the home of A.J. and Pat Smith. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Disabled American Veterans, Chapter 20, 600 Independence Blvd., Virginia Beach, VA 23455.

Child of FRANCES DENNING and RICHARD BRITT is:

- i. DOTTIE<sup>7</sup> BRITT, m. ? SMITH.

**80.** JAMES WALTER<sup>6</sup> DENNING (*MEDDIE MELINDA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 03 Oct 1916 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 29 Jul 1972 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. He married MARY MAXINE PLEASANT 28 May 1960 in Harnett County, North Carolina, daughter of MARION PLEASANT and JULIA LANGDON. She was born 17 May 1924 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 22 Aug 1978.

Notes for JAMES WALTER DENNING:

Name: JAMES DENNING

Place of Death: Raleigh, Wake

Place of Residence: Harnett

Institution: General Hospital 100 Beds & Over

Death Date: July 29 , 1972

Gender: Male

Age: 55 Years

Attendant: Physician

Marital Status: Married

Autopsy: No

Race: White

Unknown Newspaper

North Carolina Civil Defense Director James Walter Denning, 56, died Saturday at Rex Hospital here.

Denning had been Director since July, 1969, when he was appointed by Gov. Bob Scott. When informed of Denning's death, Scott said, "Jim Denning was a quiet and capable man. He was dedicated to his job and to the cause of Civil Defense. He set an example in his service to the people of North Carolina that will be a tribute to his memory."

Denning was a native of Angier, He enlisted as a private in the U. S. Army in April 1941. He was later commissioned as an officer in the 101st Airborne Division in World War II. He parachuted behind the German lines in Normandy, France, the day before the D-Day invasion, to cut communication lines. In June, 1950, he joined the North Carolina National Guard, and in September, 1953, was promoted to lieutenant colonel. He retired from the Guard in 1965. Denning served as operations officer for Civil Defense for 14 years before succeeding William M. Hodge as director.

Surviving are his wife, the former Maxine Pleasant of Angier, and one daughter, Jan. A graveside funeral service will be held at Montlawn Cemetery in Raleigh at 11 a.m. Monday.

More About JAMES WALTER DENNING:

Burial: Montlawn Memorial Park, Raleigh, North Carolina

Notes for MARY MAXINE PLEASANT:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Mary Maxine Denning

Death Date: 22 Aug 1978

Death City: Durham (P)

Death County: Harnett

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 54

Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 17 May 1924

Residence County: Harnett

Gender: Female

Race: White

Marital Status: Widowed

Social Security Number:

Autopsy: Yes

Institution: General Hospital

Attendant: Medical Examiner

Social Security Death Index

Name: Maxine Denning

SSN:

Born: 17 May 1924

Last Benefit: 27501 Angier, Harnett, North Carolina, United States of America

Died: Aug 1978

State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (1952)

Marriage Notes for JAMES DENNING and MARY PLEASANT:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6000036

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM

Groom: DENNING, JAMES WALTER

Bride: PLEASANT, MARY MAXINE

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 05/28/1960



Volume: 1960

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More About JAMES DENNING and MARY PLEASANT:  
Marriage: 28 May 1960, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of JAMES DENNING and MARY PLEASANT is:

- i. JAN P.<sup>7</sup> DENNING.

**81.** LEEWOOD "L. W."<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*RUFUS JENTRY*<sup>5</sup>, *HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 29 May 1911 in North Carolina, and died 29 Apr 2000. He married VERA VERSEL PARRISH, daughter of JOSEPH PARRISH and ALMA MATTHEWS. She was born 30 Dec 1911 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 16 Feb 2003 in Raleigh, North Carolina.

Notes for LEEWOOD "L. W." GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20697

Name (Age): GODWIN, Lee Wood (88)

Obit. Pub. Date: 05/02/2000

Other Pub. Info.: "L.W.", b. 29 May 1911, s/o Rufus and Rapsie G. Godwin, Bethel Primitive Bapt Ch. Cem.

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
April 30, 2000

BENSON -- Lewood "L.W." Godwin, 88, of 6817 Benson-Hardie Road died Saturday. Mr. Godwin was a retired tobacco and livestock farmer. The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in Rose & Graham Funeral Home chapel in Benson by Elder James Denning. Burial will be in Bethel Primitive Baptist Church cemetery.

Mr. Godwin is survived by his wife, Versal P. Godwin of Benson; three sons, James L. Godwin of Willow Springs, L.W. Godwin Jr. of Raleigh and R.L. Godwin of Benson; two daughters, Sarah Bennett, Vera Cotton and Faye Lovick, all of Raleigh, and Loral Ammons of Erwin; 14 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home.

More About LEEWOOD "L. W." GODWIN:  
Burial: 01 May 2000, Bethel Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina  
Occupation: Tobacco & Livestock Farmer

Notes for VERA VERSEL PARRISH:  
Dunn Daily Record  
Tuesday, February 18, 2003

Versel Parrish Godwin, 91, of 6817 Benson-Hardee Road, Benson, died Sunday at Rex Hospital in Raleigh. She was born Dec. 30, 1911, in Johnston County to the late Joe and Almira Matthews Parrish.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Leewood "L.W." Godwin; and grandchildren, Larry Ammons and Brent Lovick. Mrs. Godwin attended Bethel Primitive Baptist Church and was a member of the Ladies' Auxiliary of West Johnston Fire Department. She was a homemaker.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel by Elder James Denning. Burial will follow at Bethel Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery.

Survivors include daughters, Sarah Bennett, Vera Cotton and Faye Lovick, all of Raleigh, and Loral Ammons of Erwin; sons, James L. Godwin of Willow Spring, L.W. Godwin Jr. of Raleigh and R.L. Godwin of Benson; sisters, Evene P. Denning of Raleigh and Margaret P. Marcom of Benson; a brother, Lincoln Parrish of Benson; 13 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson.

More About VERA VERSEL PARRISH:

Burial: Bethel Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of LEEWOOD GODWIN and VERA PARRISH are:

- i. ANNE LOUISE<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. 1933, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for ANNE LOUISE GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Anne Louise Godwin  
Date of Birth: 1933  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Lee Wood  
Parent2 Name: Versel Parrish  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 21  
Page: 1258

- ii. LEEWOOD GODWIN, JR., b. 24 Dec 1939, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for LEEWOOD GODWIN, JR.:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Lee Wood Godwin Jr.  
Date of Birth: 24 Dec 1939  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Lee Wood  
Parent2 Name: Vera Parrish  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 27  
Page: 1080

- iii. FAYE ANNE GODWIN, b. 17 Nov 1940, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. ?  
LOVICK.

Notes for FAYE ANNE GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Fay Anne Godwin  
Date of Birth: 17 Nov 1940  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Lee Wood  
Parent2 Name: Versel Parrish  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 27  
Page: 1146

- iv. RUFUS LESTER GODWIN, b. 27 Jan 1942, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for RUFUS LESTER GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Rufus Lester Godwin  
Date of Birth: 27 Jan 1942  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Lee Wood  
Parent2 Name: Versie Parrish  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 29  
Page: 1052

- v. SARAH GODWIN, m. ? BENNETT.  
vi. VERA GODWIN, m. ? COTTON.

124.     vii.   LORAL ALMIRA GODWIN.  
          viii.   JAMES L. GODWIN.

**82.** MARY VEARL<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*RUFUS JENTRY<sup>5</sup>, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 08 Oct 1917 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 28 Jul 2001 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. She married LEON ROSCOE STEPHENSON 17 Oct 1945 in Johnston County, North Carolina, son of FLETCHER STEPHENSON and VALLIE BAREFOOT. He was born 10 Oct 1916, and died 19 May 1979 in Durham, North Carolina.

Notes for MARY VEARL GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Godwin  
Date of Birth: 8 Oct 1917  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Ruffie  
Parent2 Name: Repsey  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 4  
Page: 1917

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
July 29, 2001

ANGIER - Mrs. Vearl Godwin Stephenson, 83, of 3938 Old Fairground Road, died Saturday at Rex Hospital in Raleigh surrounded by her loving family. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Monday at the Rose & Graham Funeral Chapel in Benson. Officiating will be the Rev. Mark Scott. Burial will follow in Providence Presbyterian Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Stephenson was born October 8, 1917 in Johnston County to the late Rufus J., Sr. and Respie Goodwin Godwin. She was preceded in death by her husband, Leon Roscoe Stephenson, Sr., and was a homemaker.

Surviving include daughter and son-in-law, Brenda S. and Don Dupree of Angier; son and daughter-in-law, L. Roscoe, Jr. and Angela P. Stephenson of Angier; sisters, Anna G. Monday of Benson, Rena G. Smith of Angier, and Myrtie G. Wilkins of Benson; grandchildren, Donna S. Dupree, Amy D. Stephenson, Corey M. Stephenson, Parker J. Stephenson, and Hayley M. Stephenson.

Family will receive friends at Rose & Graham Funeral Home, Benson 7-9 p.m. Sunday.

More About MARY VEARL GODWIN:  
Burial: 30 Jul 2001, Providence Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for LEON ROSCOE STEPHENSON:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 48826

Name (Age): STEPHENSON, Leon R. (62)

Obit. Pub. Date: 05/22/1979

Other Pub. Info.: Rt. 1, Angier, b. 10 Oct. 1916, s/o Fltcher Y. and Vallie B. Stephenson, bur. Providence Ch. Cem.

Name: LEON ROSCOE STEPHENSON

Age: 62 Years

Death Date: 19 May 1979

Place of Death: Durham (P), Durham, North Carolina

Birth Date: 10 October 1916

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Autopsy: No

Hospital: Veterans Hospital

Bed Code: Under 20 Beds

Attendant: Physician

Burial: Burial in state

Father: STEPHENSON

State of Birth: North Carolina

Residence: Harnett, North Carolina

More About LEON ROSCOE STEPHENSON:

Burial: Providence Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for MARY GODWIN and LEON STEPHENSON:

North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Leon R Stephenson

Gender: Male

Estimated Birth Year: 1945

Spouse: Mary Vearl Godwin

Spouse Gender: Female

Spouse Estimated Birth Year : 1945

Marriage Date: 17 Oct 1945

Marriage County: Johnston

Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About LEON STEPHENSON and MARY GODWIN:

Marriage: 17 Oct 1945, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of MARY GODWIN and LEON STEPHENSON are:

- i. LEON ROSCOE<sup>7</sup> STEPHENSON, JR., b. 15 Jul 1951, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. ANGELA P. ?.

Notes for LEON ROSCOE STEPHENSON, JR.:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Leon Roscoe Stephenson Jr.  
Date of Birth: 15 Jul 1951  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Leon Roscoe  
Parent2 Name: Mary Vearl Godwin  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 46  
Page: 499

- ii. BRENDA STEPHENSON, m. DON R. DUPREE.

**83.** ANNA LEE<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*RUFUS JENTRY<sup>5</sup>, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 04 Oct 1919 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married RALPH RAYMOND MONDAY, JR., son of RALPH MONDAY and ?. He was born 30 Jul 1918 in Person County, North Carolina, and died 01 Dec 1996 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for ANNA LEE GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Annie Lee Godwin  
Date of Birth: 4 Oct 1919  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Ruffus J  
Parent2 Name: Repsie Goodwin  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 6  
Page: 1288

Notes for RALPH RAYMOND MONDAY, JR.:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Ralph Raymond Monday  
Death Date: 1 Dec 1996

Death City: Raleigh  
Death County: Wake  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 78  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 30 Jul 1918

Residence County: Johnston  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Father: Monday  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Children of ANNA GODWIN and RALPH MONDAY are:

- i. WILLIAM RALPH<sup>7</sup> MONDAY, b. 08 May 1942, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. CATHERINE ELAINE MEEKS, 07 Jul 1962, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for WILLIAM RALPH MONDAY:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: William Ralph Monday  
Date of Birth: 8 May 1942  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Anna Lee Godwin  
Parent2 Name: Ralph Raymond  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 29  
Page: 1087

Marriage Notes for WILLIAM MONDAY and CATHERINE MEEKS:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: William Ralph Monday  
Gender: Male  
Estimated Birth Year: 1962

Spouse: Catherine Elaine Meeks  
Spouse Gender: Female  
Spouse Estimated Birth Year : 1962

Marriage Date: 7 Jul 1962  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About WILLIAM MONDAY and CATHERINE MEEKS:  
Marriage: 07 Jul 1962, Johnston County, North Carolina

- ii. CHERYL ANN MONDAY, b. 01 May 1958, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**84.** MERTIE WILMOUTH<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*RUFUS JENTRY<sup>5</sup>, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 25 Jan 1927 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 30 Oct 2007 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married ? WILKINS.

Notes for MERTIE WILMOUTH GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Mertie Wilmouth Godwin  
Date of Birth: 1927  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Rufus Jentry  
Parent2 Name: Repsie Ann  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 14  
Page: 1190

Dunn Daily Record  
11/01/2007

Mertie Godwin Wilkins, 80, of Benson died Tuesday, Oct. 30, 2007. Services will be 11 a.m. Friday at West & Dunn Funeral Home Chapel in Benson. Burial will be at the Godwin Family Cemetery in Benson.

Survivors include daughter, Debbie Wilkins Strickland and husband Jennings of Smithfield; granddaughter, April Morgan; sisters, Anna Monday of Benson and Rena Smith of Angier; and several nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends tonight from 6:30 to 8:30 at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Dunn Senior Enrichment Center, 610 E. Johnson St., Dunn, NC 28334.

More About MERTIE WILMOUTH GODWIN:



Burial: 02 Nov 2007, Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardio Respiratory Arrest

Occupation: Beautician

Child of MERTIE GODWIN and ? WILKINS is:

- i. DEBBIE<sup>7</sup> WILKINS, m. JENNINGS STRICKLAND.

**85.** RUFUS JENTRY "TINK"<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, JR. (*RUFUS JENTRY<sup>5</sup>, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 20 Jun 1929 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 09 Mar 1995 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. He married (1) ELIZABETH ANN GREGORY. He married (2) MELBA BERNICE NORDAN 05 Oct 1985 in Harnett County, North Carolina, daughter of DEBROW NORDAN and CORA WILSON. She was born 24 Jul 1923 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 27 Mar 2006 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for RUFUS JENTRY "TINK" GODWIN, JR.:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Godwin

Date of Birth: 20 Jun 1929

Gender: Male

Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Rufus

Parent2 Name: Repsy

Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001

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Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 19251

Name (Age): GODWIN, Rufus "Tink" (65)

Obit. Pub. Date: 03/10/1995

Other Pub. Info.: s/o Rufus J. and Respie Ann Goodwin Godwin, Roselawn Cemetery

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Rufus Jentry Godwin

Death Date: 9 Mar 1995

Death City: Raleigh

Death County: Wake

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 65

Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 20 Jun 1929

Residence City: Benson  
Residence County: Johnston  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Father: Godwin  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Social Security Number:  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1993-96

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
March 10, 1995

BENSON -- Rufus Jentry "Tink" Godwin, 65, of 604 Morris Ave. died Wednesday in Raleigh Community Hospital. He was a self-employed tractor and auto mechanic. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday in Rose & Graham Funeral chapel by the Revs. Francis Daniel and Glenn McCullen. Burial will be in Roselawn Cemetery.

Mr. Godwin is survived by a daughter, Valerie G. Naylor of Benson; two sons, Lane Godwin and Cale Godwin, both of Benson; five stepdaughters, Kay Tart of Vass, Brenda Malinski of Pine Level, Joan Norris and Jan Norris, both of Dunn, and Teri Martin of Fayetteville; two brothers, Glenwood Godwin and Leewood "Sug" Godwin, both of Benson; four sisters, Anna Monday and Mertie Wilkins, both of Benson, and Rena Smith and Vearl Stephenson, both of Angier; five grandchildren; 14 step-grandchildren; and two step-great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home, and other times at the home of Cale and Michelle Godwin, 393 NC 27 West, Benson.

More About RUFUS JENTRY "TINK" GODWIN, JR.:

Burial: 12 Mar 1995, Roselawn Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina  
Occupation: Mechanic

Notes for MELBA BERNICE NORDAN:

Bryan-Lee Funeral Home Notice  
03/28/2006

ANGIER - Melba Nordan Langdon Godwin, 82, died Monday at Oak Hill Living Center, surrounded by her loving family. A native of Harnett County, she was the daughter of the late Deb and Cora Wilson Nordan. She retired from Belk's Department Store in Dunn and in her later years was employed with Bryan-Lee Funeral Home as a receptionist. Funeral Services will be held Thursday at 11:00 AM at Angier United Methodist Church with Rev. Thomas Newman officiating. Burial to follow at Harnett Memorial Park, Lillington.

Surviving: daughters, Brenda Puhl, and husband, Bill of Oriental; Teri Martin and husband, Fred, of Biscoe; Kay Tart and husband, Casper, of Cameron; Joan Norris and husband, Danny, of Dunn; Jan Norris and husband, Dennis, of Coats; sister, Thelma Isom and husband, Bill, of Wilkesboro; twelve grandchildren, thirteen great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by sisters, Eloise Guy, Eva Dowd, Naomi Matthews, Maude Bennett, Liller Johnson, brothers, Alan Nordan and Richard Norris.

The family will receive friends Wednesday 6:00 – 8:00PM at Bryan-Lee Funeral Home, Angier, and other times at the home of Dennis and Jan Norris, 460 Mann Road, Coats, NC. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Angier United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 1748, Angier, NC 27501 or to Hospice of Harnett County, P. O. Box 373, Erwin, NC 28339.

More About MELBA BERNICE NORDAN:

Burial: 30 Mar 2006, Harnett Memorial Park, Harnett County, North Carolina

Occupation: Belk's Department Store/Funeral Home Receptionist

Marriage Notes for RUFUS GODWIN and MELBA NORDAN:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 8500125

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM

Groom: GODWIN JR, RUFUS JENTRY

Bride: LANGDON, MELBA BERNICE NORDAN

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 10/05/1985

Volume: 1985

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More About RUFUS GODWIN and MELBA NORDAN:

Marriage: 05 Oct 1985, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of RUFUS GODWIN and ELIZABETH GREGORY are:

125.       i. RUFUS LANE<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. 01 Jun 1952.
- ii. VALERIE FRANCES GODWIN, b. 12 May 1954, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? NAYLOR.
126.       iii. CALE JENTRY GODWIN, b. 07 Apr 1966.

**86.** GLENWOOD "BOOT"<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*RUFUS JENTRY*<sup>5</sup>, *HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 29 Sep 1931 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 23 May 1998 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married MAMIE RUTH WILKINS, daughter of JIM WILKINS and LOTTIE HUMPHRIES.

Notes for GLENWOOD "BOOT" GODWIN:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 19227

Name (Age): GODWIN, Glenwood "Boot" (66)

Obit. Pub. Date: 05/26/1998

Other Pub. Info.: s/o Rufus and Repsie Goodwin Godwin

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

May 25, 1998

Mr. Glenwood "Boot" Godwin, 66, of 5800 Old Fairground Road, died at his home Saturday. He was a native of Johnston County, a son of the late Rufus and Repsie Goodwin Godwin.

He served in the US Army and was a member of Banner Post #109, American Legion. Mr. Godwin was a retired NC Department of Correction officer and a retired farmer. Graveside funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Devotional Gardens. Rev. Steve Morris will officiate.

Surviving: wife, Mamie Wilkins Godwin; daughters, Glenda and husband, Bruce Adams, Angela and husband, Danny Bowden, Beverly Godwin, and Michele Godwin all of Benson; two grandchildren, Morgan Bowden and Zachary Bowden.

Memorials may be made to Home Health & Hospice Care, Inc., 15 Noble St., Smithfield, NC 27577. The family will be at their home, 5800 Old Fairground Road, Benson, NC 27504. Arrangements by Rose & Graham Funeral Home, Benson.

More About GLENWOOD "BOOT" GODWIN:

Burial: 26 May 1998, Devotional Gardens Cemetery, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Metastatic Large Cell Lung Cancer

Military service: United States Army

Occupation: NC Department of Corrections Officer

Children of GLENWOOD GODWIN and MAMIE WILKINS are:

- i. GLENDA ANN<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. 21 Oct 1954, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. BRUCE ADAMS.
- ii. ANGELA CAROL GODWIN, b. 18 Dec 1957, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. DANNY BOWDEN.
- iii. BEVERLY RENEE GODWIN, b. 14 Sep 1961, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iv. MICHELE DELAINE GODWIN, b. 18 Dec 1966, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for MICHELE DELAINE GODWIN:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Michele Delaine Godwin

Date of Birth: 18 Dec 1966

Gender: Female

Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Greenwood  
Parent2 Name: Mamie Ruth Wilkins  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 82  
Page: 83

**87.** MARY REBON<sup>6</sup> HARGIS (*MARY EDITH<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 04 Apr 1912 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 11 Dec 2006. She married MACK VERNON LANGDON, son of SETH LANGDON and ALMA LASSITER. He was born 12 Oct 1909 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 13 May 1988 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for MARY REBON HARGIS:

Dunn Daily Record  
12/13/2006

Mary Rebon Hargis Langdon, 94, of Willow Spring died Monday, Dec. 11, 2006. She was born April 4, 1912, in Johnston County to the late John and Edith Godwin Hargis. She was preceded in death by her husband, Vernon Langdon; a grandson, Edsel Ty Langdon; and sisters, Onease H. Westbrook and Retha Hargis. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Thursday at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church by the Revs. Steve Morris and Tim Bunn. Burial will follow at Fellowship Community Cemetery in Angier.

Survivors include children and spouses, Vernon Edsel and Orpha Langdon of Raleigh, Harold R. and Ina Langdon of Willow Spring, Shirley and José Almaraz of Raleigh, John Maxton and Jane Langdon of Raleigh, Genevieve and Dennis Garoutte of Garner, Edith and Tim Bunn of Garner; a sister, Neta H. Byrd of Benson; 13 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson.

More About MARY REBON HARGIS:

Burial: 14 Dec 2006, Fellowship Community Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Notes for MACK VERNON LANGDON:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 30339

Name (Age): LANGDON, Mack Vernon (78)

Obit. Pub. Date: 05/17/1988

Other Pub. Info.: b. 10-12-1909 JC -- s/o Tommy and Alma Lassiter - wife/Rebon Hargis -- Fellowship P B Cem -- W.Sprs

Name: MACK VERNON LANGDON

Age: 78 Years

Death Date: 13 May 1988

Place of Death: Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina

Birth Date: 12 October 1909  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Autopsy: No  
Hospital: General Hospital  
Bed Code: 100 Beds & Over  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Father: BUNN  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Residence: Franklin, North Carolina

More About MACK VERNON LANGDON:

Burial: Fellowship Community Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of MARY HARGIS and MACK LANGDON are:

127. i. VERNON EDSEL<sup>7</sup> LANGDON, b. 20 Mar 1931, Johnston County, North Carolina.
128. ii. HAROLD RAY LANGDON, b. 13 Feb 1934, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- iii. JOHN MAXTON LANGDON, b. 24 May 1938, Johnston County, North Carolina;  
m. JANE ?.

Notes for JOHN MAXTON LANGDON:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: John Maxton Langdon  
Date of Birth: 24 May 1938  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Mack Vernon  
Parent2 Name: Mary Rebon Hargis  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 25  
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- iv. SHIRLEY LANGDON, m. JOSE ALMARAZ.
- v. GENEVIEVE LANGDON, m. DENNIS GAROUTTE.
- vi. EDITH LANGDON, m. TIM BUNN.

**88.** NETA CHELTON<sup>6</sup> HARGIS (*MARY EDITH<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 22 Jul 1916 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married JOSEPH ROGER BYRD, son of JOSEPH BYRD and MARCIE LANGDON. He was born 08 May 1911, and died 27 Sep 1985.

Notes for NETA CHELTON HARGIS:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Neta Hargis  
Date of Birth: 1916  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Edith Godwin  
Parent2 Name: John Daniel  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
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Notes for JOSEPH ROGER BYRD:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 9105  
Name (Age): BYRD, Joseph Roger  
Obit. Pub. Date: 05/08/1911  
Other Pub. Info.: Rt. 3, Benson, s/o Joseph Edward and Marcia Langdon Byrd, h/o Neta Hargis Byrd, Fellowship Community Cemetery

More About JOSEPH ROGER BYRD:  
Burial: Fellowship Community Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of NETA HARGIS and JOSEPH BYRD are:

- i. BARBARA JEAN<sup>7</sup> BYRD, b. 16 Feb 1934, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for BARBARA JEAN BYRD:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Barbara Jean Byrd  
Date of Birth: 16 Feb 1934  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Joseph Roger  
Parent2 Name: Neta Hargis  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
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129. ii. JOSEPH WELDON BYRD, b. 31 Mar 1940, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 30 Mar 2004, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- iii. BRENDA BYRD, b. 01 Jan 1943, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. ? DUNN.

Notes for BRENDA BYRD:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Brenda Byrd  
Date of Birth: 1 Jan 1943  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Neta Chelton Hargis  
Parent2 Name: Joseph Roger  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
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**89.** ONEASE<sup>6</sup> HARGIS (*MARY EDITH<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 07 Jul 1925 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 07 Sep 1996 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. She married RALPH H. WESTBROOK. He was born 13 Apr 1928, and died 22 Dec 1980.

Notes for ONEASE HARGIS:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Onease Hargis  
Date of Birth: 7 Jul 1925  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Edith Godwin  
Parent2 Name: John  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
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Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
September 9, 1996

BENSON -- Mrs. Onease Hargis Westbrook, 71, of Benson-Hardee Road, died Saturday in Rex Hospital in Raleigh. She had been a homemaker. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday in Rose & Graham Funeral chapel in Benson. Burial will be in Godwin family cemetery.

Mrs. Westbrook is survived by three daughters, Arlene Cobb of Angier, Sandra Denning of Dunn and Celia Barbour of Benson; two sisters, Rebon Langdon of Willow Spring and Neta Byrd of Benson; six grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home and at other times in the home of Junior and Celia Barbour, Route 1, Box 220-A, Old Fairground Road.



Name: ONEASE HARGIS WESTBROOK  
Age: 71 Years  
Death Date: 07 September 1996  
Place of Death: Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina  
Birth Date: 07 July 1925  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Autopsy: No  
Hospital: General Hospital  
Bed Code: 100 Beds & Over  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Father: HARGIS  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Residence: Johnston, North Carolina

More About ONEASE HARGIS:

Burial: 10 Sep 1996, Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson Hardee Road, Johnston County, North Carolina

More About RALPH H. WESTBROOK:

Burial: Godwin Family Cemetery, Benson Hardee Road, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of ONEASE HARGIS and RALPH WESTBROOK are:

- i. ARLENE<sup>7</sup> WESTBROOK, m. ? COBB.
- ii. SANDRA WESTBROOK, m. ? DENNING.
- iii. CELIA WESTBROOK, m. ? BARBOUR.

**90.** LEOLA PEARL<sup>6</sup> WEEKS (*MONNIE NATON<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 19 Oct 1914 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 23 Feb 2007 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married (1) LUTHER ALLEN TART. She married (2) LUNDY CLYDE ANDREWS, son of JOSEPH ANDREWS and SARAH ANDERSON. He was born 24 Apr 1919 in Wake County, North Carolina, and died 09 May 2002 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for LEOLA PEARL WEEKS:

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
02/25/2007

Leola Weeks Andrews, 92, of 82 Andrews Pond Drive, died Friday. A loving mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, she was the daughter of the late George and Monnie Godwin Weeks. She was a devoted Christian woman and a faithful member and former Sunday School teacher of Coats Full Gospel Tabernacle. She will always be remembered for

her great love of God's beautiful flowers. Funeral services will be held at 3:00 p.m. Sunday in the Bryan-Lee Funeral Chapel, Angier. Burial will follow at Lakeside Memorial Gardens.

She is survived by her daughters, Edna A. Mangum and her husband, Tony, of Coats, Hazel T. Shaw and her husband, Ralph of Lillington; son, Wade Tart of Martin, GA; grandchildren, Anthony Mangum and his wife, Carrie of Benson, and Eric Mangum and his wife, Robin of Buies Creek, Chris Mangum and Derek Mangum, both of Coats, Cherie Shaw of Lillington, Mark Shaw and his wife, Jennifer of Sanford, Allen Tart of Martin, GA; great-grandchildren, Anthony, Claire, Kate, Chloe and Ethan Mangum, Jamie, Olivia John Mark and Christian Shaw and Hannah Tart; sisters, Ruby W. Creech of Benson, Vera Lee Langdon of Surf City; brothers, Bill Weeks of Fyffe, AL, and Weldon Weeks of Benson.

She was predeceased by her husband, Clyde Andrews in 2002, brothers Ralph Weeks and Vernon Weeks.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Coats Full Gospel Tabernacle, P.O. Box 508, Coats, NC 27521. Condolences may be made to the family at [www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com](http://www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com).

More About LEOLA PEARL WEEKS:

Burial: 25 Feb 2007, Lakeside Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Cardiopulmonary Arrest

Notes for LUNDY CLYDE ANDREWS:  
News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
May 10, 2002

COATS - Lundy Clyde Andrews, 83, of 82 Andrews Pond Drive, a retired employee of Burlington Industries, died Thursday. Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday at Bryan-Lee Funeral Chapel, Angier. Burial will follow at Lakeside Memorial Gardens.

Surviving: his wife of 58 years, Leola Weeks Andrews; daughter, Edna A. Mangum and her husband, Tony Mangum of Coats; a step-daughter, Hazel Shaw and her husband, Ralph Shaw of Lillington; a step-son, Wade Tart of Martin, GA; grandchildren, Anthony Mangum and his wife, Carrie of Benson, Eric Mangum and his wife, Robin of Coats, Chris Mangum and his wife, Christine of Coats, and Derek Mangum of Coats; step-grandchildren, Cherie Shaw of Lillington, Mark Shaw and his wife, Jennifer of Sanford, and Allen Tart of Martin, GA.; and seven great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Macy A. Carroll and brothers, Mallie, Callie, Laddie, Carlie, Roy and Edward Andrews.

The family will be at Bryan-Lee Funeral Home, Angier 2-3 p.m. Saturday and at other times at the home of Tony and Edna Mangum, 122 Andrews Pond Road, Coats. Memorial contributions may be made to Coats Full Gospel Tabernacle, c/o Rev. Willie Jones, 502 Angier Road, Fuquay-Varina, NC 27526.

More About LUNDY CLYDE ANDREWS:

Burial: 11 May 2002, Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardiopulmonary Arrest

Occupation: Textile Worker

Children of LEOLA WEEKS and LUTHER TART are:

- i. HAZEL LEE<sup>7</sup> TART, b. 13 Feb 1931, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. RALPH SHAW.

Notes for HAZEL LEE TART:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Hazel Lee Tart

Date of Birth: 13 Feb 1931

Gender: Female

Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Leola Pearl Weeks

Parent2 Name: Luther Allen

Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001

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- ii. WADE ALLEN TART, b. 27 Aug 1936, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for WADE ALLEN TART:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Wade Allen Tart

Date of Birth: 27 Aug 1936

Gender: Male

Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Leola Pearl Weeks

Parent2 Name: Luther Allen

Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001

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Child of LEOLA WEEKS and LUNDY ANDREWS is:

- iii. EDNA PEARL<sup>7</sup> ANDREWS, b. 12 Aug 1945, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. TONY RICHARD MANGUM; b. 28 May 1944, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**91.** RUBY EDNA<sup>6</sup> WEEKS (*MONNIE NATON<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 05 May 1916 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 03 Jun 2007 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married EDGAR VANCE CREECH, son of JESSIE CREECH and FLOSSIE PENNY. He was born 15 Aug 1911 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died

21 Apr 1982 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for RUBY EDNA WEEKS:

Dunn Daily Record

06/04/2007

Ruby Edna Creech, 91, of Oak Hill Living Center, formerly of Benson, died Sunday, June 3, 2007, at Betsy Johnson Regional Hospital in Dunn. She was born May 5, 1916, in Johnston County to the late George William and Monie Godwin Weeks. She was preceded in death by her husband, Edgar Vance Creech.

She was a clothing inspector and was a member of Ebenezer Presbyterian Church. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Thursday at Ebenezer Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Joe Hester. Burial will follow at the church cemetery.

Survivors include a son, Donald Creech and wife Renate of Columbia, S.C.; a sister, Vera Lee Langdon of Surf City; brothers, Bill Weeks of Fyffe, Ala., and Weldon Weeks of Benson; grandchildren, Crystal Creech, Diane Creech, Yvonne C. Crosby and husband Scott, Jason Creech and wife Emily; and six great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends Wednesday from 6 to 8 p.m. at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Ebenezer Presbyterian Church, c/o Cathy Johnson, P.O. Box 397, Coats, NC 27521.

More About RUBY EDNA WEEKS:

Burial: Ebenezer Presbyterian Church, Benson, Johnston County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cerebrovascular Accident

Occupation: Inspector/Clothing Textiles

Notes for EDGAR VANCE CREECH:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Edgar Vance Creech

Death Date: 21 Apr 1982

Death City: Dunn

Death County: Harnett

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 70

Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 15 Aug 1911

Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Harnett

Residence State: North Carolina

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Social Security Number:

Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1979-82

More About EDGAR VANCE CREECH:

Burial: Ebenezer Presbyterian Church, Benson, Johnston County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Carcinoma of Lung

Occupation: Farmer/Merchant

Child of RUBY WEEKS and EDGAR CREECH is:

- i. DONALD<sup>7</sup> CREECH, m. RENATE ?.

**92.** VERNON WADE<sup>6</sup> WEEKS (*MONNIE NATON<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 02 Aug 1920 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 11 May 1960 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married MARY ESTHER ?.

More About VERNON WADE WEEKS:

Burial: 12 May 1960, Bethel Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Coronary Occlusion

Occupation: Carpenter

Children of VERNON WEEKS and MARY ? are:

- i. BOBBY GERALD<sup>7</sup> WEEKS, b. 17 Apr 1943, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. DOUGLAS WADE WEEKS, b. 18 Oct 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**93.** GEORGE WELDON<sup>6</sup> WEEKS (*MONNIE NATON<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 01 Feb 1924 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married VERA LEE COBB, daughter of LEONARD COBB and TOBITHA GREGORY. She was born 28 Feb 1920 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 08 Dec 2005 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for VERA LEE COBB:

Dunn Daily Record

12/09/2005

Vera Lee Weeks, 85, of 4958 Benson-Hardee Road, Benson, died Thursday, Dec. 8, 2005, at Betsy Johnson Regional Hospital in Dunn. She was born Feb. 28, 1920, in Harnett County to the late Leonard and Tabitha Gregory Cobb. She was a member of Stevens Chapel Church. Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. Sunday at Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel in Benson by the Rev. Richard McKeel. Burial will follow at Devotional Gardens in Dunn.

Survivors include her husband, Welton Weeks; a son, Kenneth Ray Weeks and wife Linda of Benson; daughters, Brenda Taylor and husband Larry, JoAnn Tart and husband Dwight, Sue Lynn Creswell and husband Tommy, all of Benson; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandson.

The family will receive friends Saturday from 7 to 9 p.m. at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.RoseGrahamFuneralServices.com](http://www.RoseGrahamFuneralServices.com).

More About VERA LEE COBB:

Burial: 11 Dec 2005, Devotional Gardens, Dunn, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Sudden Cardiac Death

Children of GEORGE WEEKS and VERA COBB are:

- i. KENNETH RAY<sup>7</sup> WEEKS, b. 13 Nov 1944, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. LINDA ?.
- ii. BRENDA KAY WEEKS, b. 19 Oct 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. LARRY TAYLOR.
- iii. JO ANN WEEKS, b. 16 Mar 1955, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. DWIGHT TART.
- iv. SUE LYNN WEEKS, b. 06 Dec 1956, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. TOMMY CRESWELL.

**94.** VERA LEE<sup>6</sup> WEEKS (*MONNIE NATON<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 20 Jan 1926 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married JUDD LEE LANGDON, son of JAMES LANGDON and ALICE PLEASANT. He was born 15 Apr 1918 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 23 Aug 1978 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About JUDD LEE LANGDON:

Burial: 25 Aug 1978, Devotional Gardens, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

Occupation: Merchant

Child of VERA WEEKS and JUDD LANGDON is:

- i. DONNIE DALE<sup>7</sup> LANGDON, b. 14 Jan 1943, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. MYRA FUTRAL; b. 23 Feb 1951.

**95.** MYRTLE LOIS<sup>6</sup> PARRISH (*PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE"<sup>5</sup>, GILLIE A.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 17 Aug 1905, and died 14 Jul 1996 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. She married NATHAN RALPH HOLLAND 29 Oct 1924 in Johnston County, North Carolina, son of DANIEL HOLLAND and DAISY FRY. He was born 07 Aug 1902, and died Jul 1960.

Notes for MYRTLE LOIS PARRISH:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 23423

Name (Age): HOLLAND, Myrtle Lois (90)

Obit. Pub. Date: 07/16/1996

Other Pub. Info.: Raleigh, Plainview Presbyterian Church Cemetery

Name: MYRTLE LOIS HOLLAND  
Age: 90 Years  
Death Date: 14 July 1996  
Place of Death: Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina  
Birth Date: 17 August 1905  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Autopsy: No  
Hospital: Nursing and Rest Homes  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Father: PARRISH  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Residence: Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina

More About MYRTLE LOIS PARRISH:  
Burial: Plainview Presbyterian Church Cemetery

Notes for NATHAN RALPH HOLLAND:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 23424  
Name (Age): HOLLAND, Nathan Ralph (57)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 07/05/1960  
Other Pub. Info.: Rt. 1, Garner, NC

Marriage Notes for MYRTLE PARRISH and NATHAN HOLLAND:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Ralph Holland  
Gender: Male

Spouse: Lois Parrish  
Spouse Gender: Female

Marriage Date: 29 Oct 1924  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About NATHAN HOLLAND and MYRTLE PARRISH:  
Marriage: 29 Oct 1924, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of MYRTLE PARRISH and NATHAN HOLLAND are:

- i. MYRTLE MELBA<sup>7</sup> HOLLAND, b. 19 Oct 1925, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for MYRTLE MELBA HOLLAND:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Myrtle Melba Holland  
Date of Birth: 19 Oct 1925  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Louis Parrish  
Parent2 Name: Ralph  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
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- ii. DAISY MAYTHORN HOLLAND, b. 1930, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for DAISY MAYTHORN HOLLAND:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Daisy Maythorn Holland  
Date of Birth: 1930  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Nathan Ralph  
Parent2 Name: Lois Myrtle Parrish  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
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- iii. GEORGIA ANN HOLLAND, b. 22 Feb 1939, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for GEORGIA ANN HOLLAND:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Georgia Anne Holland  
Date of Birth: 22 Feb 1939  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Myrtle Lois Parrish  
Parent2 Name: N Ralph  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
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**96.** NETTIE ANN<sup>6</sup> PARRISH (*PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE"<sup>5</sup>, GILLIE A.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 01 Dec 1908 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 05 Aug 2002 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married DUFFIE TALMADGE IVEY 06 Jun 1925 in Smithfield, Johnston County N.C., son of DAVID IVEY and AVA TART. He was born 08 Feb 1903 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 18 Sep 1981 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for NETTIE ANN PARRISH:

Dunn Daily Record

Wednesday, August 07, 2002

Nettie Parrish Ivey, 93, of Four Oaks died Monday at Johnston Memorial Hospital. She was born Dec. 1, 1908, in Johnston County to the late Peter Lawrence and Mary Frances Parrish.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Duffie T. Ivey; and daughters, Alie Mae Ivey and Geraldine McLamb. Funeral services will be held today at 3 p.m. at Minshew Funeral Home. Burial will follow at Hannah's Creek Church Cemetery.

Survivors include daughters, Rachel Young of Lillington, Thena Smith and husband Howard of Garner, Fannie Ramsey of Marshallburg, Ethel Holland and husband Connie of Four Oaks; a son, D.T. Ivey Jr. and wife Judy of Four Oaks; 22 grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren; 14 great-great-grandchildren; and caregiver, Gladys Marie Anderson.

More About NETTIE ANN PARRISH:

Burial: 07 Aug 2002, Hannah's Creek Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease

Notes for DUFFIE TALMADGE IVEY:

IVEY, DUFFIE TALMADGE

Death Date: 19 September 1981

Gender: Male

Place of Death: Smithfield, Johnston, North Carolina

Race: White

Residence: , Johnston, North Carolina

Age: 78 Years

Autopsy: No

Marital Status: Married

Hospital: General Hospital Bed Code: 100 Beds & Over

Attendant: Physician

Burial: Burial in state

Birth Date: 08 February 1903

State of Birth: North Carolina

Father: IVEY  
Social Security Number: 241826807

More About DUFFIE TALMADGE IVEY:

Burial: Hannah's Creek Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

More About DUFFIE IVEY and NETTIE PARRISH:

Marriage: 06 Jun 1925, Smithfield, Johnston County N.C.

Children of NETTIE PARRISH and DUFFIE IVEY are:

- i. AVA GERALDINE<sup>7</sup> IVEY, b. 27 May 1927; d. 16 Jul 1990; m. RUSSELL MCLAMB.

More About AVA GERALDINE IVEY:

Burial: Hannah's Creek Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

130. ii. RACHEL FRANCES IVEY, b. 01 Jul 1930.
131. iii. THENA ETTA IVEY, b. 27 Jan 1935.
- iv. ALLIE MAE IVEY, b. 19 Oct 1937; d. 20 Feb 1938.

More About ALLIE MAE IVEY:

Burial: Hannah's Creek Cemetery

- v. FANNIE ROSE IVEY, b. 11 Apr 1939; m. (1) C. G. HOLLAND; m. (2) PAUL RAMSEY; m. (3) LUTHER ROBINSON.
132. vi. DUFFIE TALMADGE IVEY, JR., b. 05 Nov 1946.
133. vii. ETHEL ANN IVEY, b. 15 Jun 1950.

**97.** ROMEY LAWRENCE<sup>6</sup> PARRISH (*PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE"<sup>5</sup>, GILLIE A.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. 1914, and died 16 Oct 1971 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. He married MILDRED IOLA JOHNSON, daughter of JIM JOHNSON and PATSY ?. She was born 18 Nov 1914, and died 01 May 1989 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for ROMEY LAWRENCE PARRISH:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40863

Name (Age): PARRISH, Romey Lawrence (58)

Obit. Pub. Date: 10/19/1971

Other Pub. Info.: Garner, NC, h/o Mildred Johnson, 5 daugsauto accident, Mt. Herman Christian Church Cem.

Name: ROMEY PARRISH

Place of Death: Raleigh, Wake

Place of Residence: Wake

Institution: General Hospital 100 Beds & Over  
Death Date: October 16 , 1971  
Gender: Male  
Age: 58 Years  
Attendant: Medical Examiner  
Marital Status: Married  
Autopsy: No  
Race: White

More About ROMEY LAWRENCE PARRISH:  
Burial: Mt. Herman Christian Church Cemetery

Notes for MILDRED IOLA JOHNSON:  
PARRISH, MILDRED IOLA

Death Date: 01 May 1989  
Gender: Female  
Place of Death: Clayton, Johnston, North Carolina  
Race: White  
Residence: Clayton, Johnston, North Carolina  
Age: 74 Years  
Autopsy: No  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Hospital: Other  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Birth Date: 18 November 1914  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Father: JOHNSON

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40624  
Name (Age): PARRISH, Mildred Iola (74)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 05/02/1989  
Other Pub. Info.: b.11-18-1914 JC, d/o Jim/Patsy Johnson, wid/o Romay Lawrence Parrish,  
Mt. Herman Christian Church Cemetery

More About MILDRED IOLA JOHNSON:  
Burial: Mt. Herman Christian Church Cemetery

Children of ROMEY PARRISH and MILDRED JOHNSON are:

- i. HILDA GREY<sup>7</sup> PARRISH, b. 04 Mar 1933, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. LARRY PARRISH, b. 09 Oct 1944, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iii. ROMEY LAWRENCE PARRISH, JR., b. 11 Sep 1951; d. 28 Dec 1995, Raleigh,

Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for ROMNEY LAWRENCE PARRISH, JR.:

Name: ROMNEY LAWRENCE PARRISH JR

Age: 44 Years

Death Date: 28 December 1995

Place of Death: Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina

Birth Date: 11 September 1951

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Autopsy: Yes

Hospital: General Hospital

Bed Code: 100 Beds & Over

Attendant: Medical Examiner

Burial: Burial in state

Father: PARRISH

State of Birth: North Carolina

Residence: Garner, Wake, North Carolina

**98.** EVIN HUAL<sup>6</sup> PARRISH (*PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE"<sup>5</sup>, GILLIE A.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 18 Nov 1918, and died 03 Nov 1969 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married ALICE FLORENCE BYRD 03 Jun 1933 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for EVIN HUAL PARRISH:

Name: PARRISH, EVIN

Place of Death: Smithfield, Johnston

Place of Residence: , Johnston

Institution: General Hospital 100 Beds & Over

Date of Death: November 03, 1969

Sex: Male

Race: White

Age: 50 Years

Autopsy: No

Place of Injury:

Mode of Burial:

Marital Status: Married

Attendant: Coroner

Year Received: 1969

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40386

Name (Age): PARRISH, Evin Hual

Obit. Pub. Date: 11/04/1969

Other Pub. Info.: Clayton, NC

Marriage Notes for EVIN PARRISH and ALICE BYRD:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Evin Parrish

Gender: Male

Spouse: Alice Byrd

Spouse Gender: Female

Marriage Date: 3 Jun 1933

Marriage County: Johnston

Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About EVIN PARRISH and ALICE BYRD:

Marriage: 03 Jun 1933, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of EVIN PARRISH and ALICE BYRD are:

- i. INFANT SON<sup>7</sup> PARRISH, b. 05 Aug 1936, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for INFANT SON PARRISH:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Parrish

Date of Birth: 5 Aug 1936

Gender: Male

Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Alice Byrd

Parent2 Name: Evin

Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001

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- ii. SHIRLEY FRANCES PARRISH, b. 18 Jul 1938, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for SHIRLEY FRANCES PARRISH:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Shirley Frances Parrish

Date of Birth: 18 Jul 1938  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Alice Byrd  
Parent2 Name: Evin  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 25  
Page: 1147

- iii. MARIE AGNES PARRISH, b. 30 Oct 1940, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. RICHARD HENRY ELLINGTON, 24 Dec 1959, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 19 Nov 1938, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for MARIE PARRISH and RICHARD ELLINGTON:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 5900051  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: ELLINGTON, RICHARD HENRY  
Bride: PARRISH, MARIE AGNES  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 12/24/1959  
Volume: 1959  
Page: 51

More About RICHARD ELLINGTON and MARIE PARRISH:  
Marriage: 24 Dec 1959, Harnett County, North Carolina

**99.** LAVELLE MITCHELL<sup>6</sup> PARRISH (*PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE"*<sup>5</sup>, *GILLIE A.*<sup>4</sup> *GODWIN*, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 24 Oct 1919 in North Carolina, and died 31 Jan 1991 in Raleigh, North Carolina. He married DOROTHY LEE JONES, daughter of ALBERT JONES and LUCY HEATH. She was born 26 Jul 1924 in Greene County, North Carolina, and died 24 Apr 2006.

Notes for LAVELLE MITCHELL PARRISH:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40560  
Name (Age): PARRISH, Lavelle Mitchell (71)  
Obit. Pub. Date: 02/05/1991  
Other Pub. Info.: b/o Nettie Ivy of Four Oaks, h/o Dorothy J. Parrish, Willow Springs Cemetery

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Lavelle Mitchell Parrish  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Social Security Number:  
Father's Last Name: Parrish  
Age: 71  
Date of Birth: 24 Oct 1919  
Birth Location: North Carolina  
Birth State: North Carolina  
Residence County: Wake  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Date of Death: 31 Jan 1991  
Death City: Raleigh  
Death County: Wake  
Death State: North Carolina  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial Location: Burial in state  
Source Vendor: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1988-92

More About LAVELLE MITCHELL PARRISH:

Burial: Willow Spring Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Wake County, North Carolina

Notes for DOROTHY LEE JONES:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Dorothy Lee Jones  
Date of Birth: 26 Jul 1924  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Greene  
Parent1 Name: Albert Jones  
Parent2 Name: Lucy Heath  
Roll Number: B\_C044\_68001  
Volume: 6  
Page: 65

Dunn Daily Record

04/25/2006

Dorothy Lee Jones Parrish, 81, of Willow Spring died Monday, April 24, 2006. A native of Snow Hill, she was born July 26, 1924, to the late Albert and Lucy Heath Jones. Mrs. Parrish worked all of her life, first in the fields and then for many years at Arkless Manufacturing Co. until her retirement in 1998.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lavelle Parrish; a grandson, Justin Parrish; and a brother, Frankie Jones. Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. Wednesday in the chapel of Bryan-Lee Funeral Home in Angier by the Rev. Carol McCartney. Burial will follow at Willow Spring Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery.

Survivors include daughters, Mary Catherine Parrish, Crickett Martin and Molly Parrish Gregory, all of Clendenin, W.Va.; sons, Lavon Parrish of Poway, Calif., Julian "Mitch" Parrish of Willow Spring and Lonnie Parrish of Marathon, Fla.; sisters, Anne Lyles of Wendell, Mae Hathaway of Lynn, Mass., Cat Spence of Raleigh and Alice Edwards of Youngsville and Lois Tuck of Myrtle Beach, S.C.; a brother, James Jones of Middlesex; 14 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 6 to 8 at Bryan-Lee Funeral Home and other times at the home of Mitch and Sandy Parrish, 3111 Jackson King Road, Willow Spring. Condolences may be sent to [www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com](http://www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com).

More About DOROTHY LEE JONES:

Burial: 25 Apr 2006, Willow Spring Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Wake County, North Carolina

Children of LAVELLE PARRISH and DOROTHY JONES are:

- i. LAVON<sup>7</sup> PARRISH.
- ii. JULIAN LEON PARRISH, b. 10 Oct 1943.

Notes for JULIAN LEON PARRISH:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Julion Leon Parrish  
Date of Birth: 10 Oct 1943  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Dorothy Jones  
Parent2 Name: Lavell  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 30  
Page: 1079

- iii. MARY CATHERINE PARRISH, b. 05 Jan 1959, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for MARY CATHERINE PARRISH:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Mary Catherine Parrish  
Date of Birth: 5 Jan 1959



Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Dorothy Lee Jones  
Parent2 Name: Lavelle  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 64  
Page: 510

- iv. CRICKETT PARRISH, m. ? MARTIN.
- v. MOLLY PARRISH, m. ? GREGORY.
- vi. LONNIE PARRISH.

**100.** KATIE<sup>6</sup> MATTHEWS (*ANNIE CLARISSA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, PARROTT GREEN<sup>4</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 19 Nov 1900 in North Carolina, and died 03 Mar 1969 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married BENJAMIN FRANKLIN TURLINGTON 07 Nov 1932 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of WILLIAM TURLINGTON and NANCY BYRD. He was born 30 Jul 1894 in North Carolina, and died 24 Dec 1975 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About KATIE MATTHEWS:

Burial: 05 Mar 1969, Erwin Memorial Park, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Probable Acute Pulmonary Embolism

More About BENJAMIN FRANKLIN TURLINGTON:

Burial: 26 Dec 1975, Erwin Memorial Park, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Acute Myocardial Infarction  
Occupation: Textile Worker

Marriage Notes for KATIE MATTHEWS and BENJAMIN TURLINGTON:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 3200095  
Date Filed: 11/07/1932 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: TURLINGTON, BEN  
Bride: MATTHEWS, KATIE  
Maiden Surname: MATTHEWS  
Date of Marriage: 11/07/1932  
Volume: 1932  
Page: 95

More About BENJAMIN TURLINGTON and KATIE MATTHEWS:  
Marriage: 07 Nov 1932, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of KATIE MATTHEWS and BENJAMIN TURLINGTON is:

- i. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN<sup>7</sup> TURLINGTON, JR..

**101.** DOROTHY RUTH<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*PARROTT HOSEA*<sup>5</sup>, *PARROTT GREEN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 08 Jan 1920 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 07 Aug 2006 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married PAUL DOUGLAS JOHNSON, son of JAMES JOHNSON and SUSAN WEAVER. He was born 25 Oct 1916 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 27 May 1996 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for DOROTHY RUTH GODWIN:  
Daily Record  
08/09/2006

Dorothy Godwin Johnson, 86, of 4055 N.C. 55 West, Angier, died Monday, Aug. 7, 2006, at Brookfield Retirement Center in Lillington. She was born Jan. 8, 1920, in Johnston County to the late P.H. and Julia Morgan Godwin. She was preceded in death by her husband, Paul Johnson. She was a homemaker and a member of Ebenezer Presbyterian Church. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Thursday at Ebenezer Presbyterian Church by the Revs. Joe Hester and Warren Bock. Burial will follow at Harnett Memorial Park in Lillington.

Survivors include a son, Doug Johnson and wife Freda of Angier; daughters, Ann J. O'Neal and husband Jimmy of Dunn, Paulette Y. Warren and husband Tony of Garner; a sister, Catherine G. Scott of Raleigh; grandchildren, Clark Johnson, Tara J. Redmond, Adrian O'Neal, Nickie J. Brown, Joshua Young, Adam O'Neal and Erin Warren; and eight great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson.

More About DOROTHY RUTH GODWIN:  
Burial: 10 Aug 2006, Harnett Memorial Park Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Multi Infarct Dementia

Notes for PAUL DOUGLAS JOHNSON:  
Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
May 29, 1996

ANGIER -- Paul D. Johnson, 79, of Route 2, Box 184, died Monday in Johnston Memorial Hospital in Smithfield. He was a retired farmer and an active member of Ebenezer Presbyterian Church. The funeral will be conducted at 3 p.m. today in Ebenezer Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Warren Bock. Burial will be in Harnett Memorial Gardens in Lillington. Rose & Graham Funeral Home of Benson.

Mr. Johnson is survived by his wife, Dorothy G. Johnson; a son, J. Doug Johnson of Angier; two daughters, Ann J. O'Neal of Dunn and Paulette J. Warren of Garner; seven grandchildren; and two great-granddaughters.

More About PAUL DOUGLAS JOHNSON:  
Burial: 29 May 1996, Harnett Memorial Park, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of DOROTHY GODWIN and PAUL JOHNSON are:

134.       i. JAMES DOUGLAS<sup>7</sup> JOHNSON, b. 26 May 1943, Harnett County, North Carolina.  
          ii. MARJORIE ANN JOHNSON, b. 04 Feb 1947, Harnett County, North Carolina;  
              m. JIMMY WATSON O'NEAL, 12 Aug 1967, Harnett County, North Carolina; b.  
              08 Oct 1945, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for MARJORIE JOHNSON and JIMMY O'NEAL:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6700170  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: ONEAL, JIMMY WATSON  
Bride: JOHNSON, MARJORIE ANN  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 08/12/1967  
Volume: 1967  
Page: 170

More About JIMMY O'NEAL and MARJORIE JOHNSON:  
Marriage: 12 Aug 1967, Harnett County, North Carolina

135.       iii. JOYCE PAULETTE JOHNSON, b. 20 Dec 1952, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**102.** CAMERON HOSEA<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*PARROTT HOSEA<sup>5</sup>, PARROTT GREEN<sup>4</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 09 Jan 1921 in North Carolina, and died 26 Sep 1975 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married JUANITA VICTORIA SMITH.

Notes for CAMERON HOSEA GODWIN:

Name: CAMERON HOSEA GODWIN

Death Date: 26 September 1975

Place of Death: Harnett

Marriage: Married

Residence: Harnett, North Carolina

Attendant: Physician

Method of Burial: Burial in state

More About CAMERON HOSEA GODWIN:

Burial: 28 Sep 1975, Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Harnett County, North Carolina

Occupation: Farmer

Children of CAMERON GODWIN and JUANITA SMITH are:

- i. JEAN ANN<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. 24 Oct 1946.  
ii. SHIRLEY DIANNE GODWIN, b. 06 Sep 1949.  
iii. SONJIA DENISE GODWIN, b. 02 Sep 1959.

**103.** STACY WADE<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*PARROTT HOSEA*<sup>5</sup>, *PARROTT GREEN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 21 Jun 1929 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 17 Jun 2004 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married LOLITA DARE EASON, daughter of JAMES EASON and MOZELLE CREECH. She was born 28 Jun 1932 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 18 Mar 2006 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for STACY WADE GODWIN:  
News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
June 19, 2004

COATS -- Stacy Wade Godwin, 74, of 2391 NC Hwy 27 East died Thursday at his home. Funeral service will be 3:00 PM Sunday at Pleasant Memory Baptist Church. Revs. Stencil Baucom, Chris Wroten, Blair Little, and Marshall Danenburg will officiate. Burial will follow in Coats City Cemetery.

Mr. Godwin was born in the Elevation Township in Johnston County on June 21, 1929, to the late Hosea and Julia Morgan Godwin. He was a staff sergeant with the U. S. Air Force during the Korean Conflict. Mr. Godwin farmed in the Coats Community for many years, was a dispatcher for the Coats Police Department, a Pinkerton Security Guard with Erwin Mills, and retired as a security guard with Campbell University. He was a member of Pleasant Memory Baptist Church and served as a deacon.

Mr. Godwin was preceded in death by a sister, Cleo G. Jeffries, and brothers, Cameron Godwin and Kermit Godwin.

Surviving: wife, Lolita Eason Godwin; son and daughter-in-law, Kenneth E. and Joyce A. Godwin of Clayton; daughter and son-in-law, Jennifer E. and G. David Ferrell of Coats; sisters, Dorothy G. Johnson of Angier and Catherine G. Scott of Durham; three grandchildren, Jamie Peele, Bobby Peele, and Elizabeth Ferrell.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 PM Saturday at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats. Flowers are welcomed; however, memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or the SPCA.

More About STACY WADE GODWIN:  
Burial: 20 Jun 2004, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Military service: United States Air Force/Korean Conflict  
Occupation: Police Dispatcher/Security Guard/Farmer

Notes for LOLITA DARE EASON:  
Dunn Daily Record  
03/20/2006

Lolita Dare Eason Godwin, 73, of 2391 N.C. 27 East, Coats, died Saturday, March 18, 2006, at her home. She was born June 28, 1932, in Johnston County to the late James Edward and Mozelle Creech Eason. She was preceded in death by her husband, Stacy W. Godwin; and brothers, Joe Eason and David Eason. She was a retired nurse and homemaker. Mrs. Godwin was a member of Pleasant Memory Baptist Church. Funeral services will be held 3 p.m.

Tuesday at Pleasant Memory Baptist Church by the Revs. Stancil Baucom, Chris Wroten, Blair Little and Marshall Danenburg. Burial will follow at Coats City Cemetery.

Survivors include a son, Kenneth Godwin and wife Joyce of Clayton; a daughter, Jennifer Ferrell and husband David of Coats; sisters, Shirley E. Parker of Four Oaks, Genell E. Sugrue of Johnston, R.I., Joyce E. Thornton of Henderson, Judy E. Buffkin of Benson and Wanda E. Langdon of Coats; and grandchildren, Jamie Peele, Bobby Peele and Elizabeth Ferrell.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 8:30 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats. Memorials may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 2418 Blue Ridge Road, Suite 206, Raleigh, NC 27607; or to the Harnett County EMS, 200 N. 13th St., Suite 19-A, Erwin, NC 28339. Condolences may be sent to [www.RoseGrahamFuneralServices.com](http://www.RoseGrahamFuneralServices.com).

More About LOLITA DARE EASON:

Burial: 21 Mar 2006, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Coronary Artery Disease

Occupation: Nurse

Children of STACY GODWIN and LOLITA EASON are:

- i. KENNETH E.<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, m. JOYCE A. ?.
- ii. JENNIFER E. GODWIN, m. G. DAVID FERRELL.

**104.** FLORENCE ELIZABETH<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*AGGIE J.*<sup>5</sup>, *BENJAMIN FRANKLIN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 23 Nov 1905 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 14 Jan 2007 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married ALTON FLOYD GRIMES 07 Dec 1924 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of ALEXANDER GRIMES and LOUIDA HAYES. He was born 19 May 1898 in North Carolina, and died 06 Jun 1974 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for FLORENCE ELIZABETH GODWIN:

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

01/15/2007

Mrs. Florence Godwin Grimes, age 101, of 160 Carrie St., died Sunday at her residence. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at the Angier Primitive Baptist Church. Officiating will be Elder Andy Mazingo, Elder Devon Harris, and Rev. Jesse Mooney. Burial will follow in the Coats City Cemetery.

Mrs. Grimes was born November 23, 1905 in Johnston County to the late Aggie J. and Cornelia Woodall Godwin. She was preceded in death by her husband, Alton Floyd Grimes; son, Wayne Grimes; daughter, Hilda Grimes Hedrick; sister, Alice White; brothers, Clem Godwin, Floyd Godwin, and Robert Godwin; grandson, David Hedrick; great-great-granddaughter, Elizabeth Scott Allen.

Mrs. Grimes was a homemaker, member of the Angier Primitive Baptist Church, and loved nature. She was instrumental in planting and caring for the dogwood trees and flowers in the Coats City Cemetery, this type of community service earned her Citizen of the Year in 1993 at the age of 87.

Surviving, include daughter, Jenny Grimes Stephenson; 11 grandchildren; Kathy Gerber, Diane Allen, Steve Stephenson, Ellen Brown, Sherree Hedrick, Bob Hedrick, Walt Hedrick, Phillip Hedrick, Doug Grimes, Janet Grimes, and Mike Grimes; 15 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats 6:00-8:00 p.m. Monday, and other times at the home. Flowers are welcomed, however memorials may be made to the Angier Primitive Baptist Church, c/o Gerald Lawrence, 156 Wendy Lane, Angier, NC 27501. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.RoseGrahamFuneralServices.com](http://www.RoseGrahamFuneralServices.com).

More About FLORENCE ELIZABETH GODWIN:

Burial: 16 Jan 2007, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About ALTON FLOYD GRIMES:

Burial: 08 Jun 1974, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Acute Myocardial Infarction

Occupation: Farmer

Marriage Notes for FLORENCE GODWIN and ALTON GRIMES:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 2400081

Date Filed: 12/06/1924 12:00:00 AM

Groom: GRIMES, ALTON FLOYD

Bride: GODWIN, FLORENCE

Maiden Surname: GODWIN

Date of Marriage: 12/07/1924

Volume: 1924

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More About ALTON GRIMES and FLORENCE GODWIN:

Marriage: 07 Dec 1924, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of FLORENCE GODWIN and ALTON GRIMES are:

136.       i.   HILDA RUTH<sup>7</sup> GRIMES, b. 03 Dec 1925, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 31 Dec 1997, Wake County, North Carolina.
- ii.   WAYNE GRIMES, b. 03 Oct 1927, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 24 Apr 1982, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About WAYNE GRIMES:

Burial: 26 Apr 1982, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardiac Arrest

Occupation: Farmer

137.       iii.   JENNY LIND GRIMES, b. 01 Apr 1930, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**105.** JOHN RALPH<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*JAMES EVERETTE<sup>5</sup>, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN<sup>4</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 20 Jan 1908, and died 12 Jan 1988 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married LENA STRICKLAND Abt. 1928, daughter of THOMAS STRICKLAND and CORNELIA RYALS. She was born 19 Aug 1906 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 14 Apr 2001 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for JOHN RALPH GODWIN:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20267

Name (Age): GODWIN, John Ralph (79)

Obit. Pub. Date: 01/12/1988

Other Pub. Info.: b. 20 Jan 1908, s/o James Everette and Leacy Allen Godwin, h/o Lena S. Godwin, Roselawn Cemetery, Benson, NC

Name: JOHN RALPH GODWIN

Age: 79 Years

Death Date: 12 January 1988

Place of Death: Smithfield, Johnston, North Carolina

Birth Date: 20 January 1908

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Hospital: General Hospital

Bed Code: 100 Beds & Over

Attendant: Physician

Burial: Burial in state

Father: GODWIN

State of Birth: North Carolina

Residence: Smithfield, Johnston, North Carolina

More About JOHN RALPH GODWIN:  
Burial: Roselawn Cemetery

Notes for LENA STRICKLAND:  
Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20698

Name (Age): GODWIN, Lena Strickland (92)

Obit. Pub. Date: 04/17/2001

Other Pub. Info.: b. 19 Aug 1906, d. 14 Apr 2001, d/o Thomas and Cornelia Royal Strickland, w/o John Ralph, Roselawn Cem.

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC) - April 16, 2001

AUG. 19, 1906 - APRIL 14, 2001

SMITHFIELD - Mrs. Lena Strickland Godwin, 94, died at her home at 126 West Caroline Avenue, Smithfield, Saturday afternoon following a period of failing health.

She was the widow of John Ralph Godwin who died in 1988. Lena was a native of Johnston County, a daughter of the late Thomas D. Strickland and Cornelia Royal Strickland.

Funeral service will be held at 2p.m. Tuesday from the chapel of Underwood Funeral Home conducted by Rev. Steve Hall. Burial will be in Roselawn Cemetery at Benson.

Surviving sons, Gerald Godwin and wife, Beryl of Four Oaks, John Ralph (Bud) Godwin and wife, Dorothy of Clayton and Jimmie Godwin and wife, Phyllis of Smithfield; daughters, Ruth Strickland and husband Lloyd of Wilson, Lois Jean Wilkins and husband, James of Durham Betty Norris and husband, Buddy of Four Oaks, Jo Ann Pope and husband, John of Smithfield; a sister Pauline Byrd of Dunn; 11 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

The family of Lena Strickland Godwin will receive friends at Underwood Funeral Home, Monday from 7-9 p.m.

More About LENA STRICKLAND:

Burial: 17 Apr 2001, Roselawn Cemetery

More About JOHN GODWIN and LENA STRICKLAND:

Marriage: Abt. 1928

Child of JOHN GODWIN and LENA STRICKLAND is:

- i. JERALD L.<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. Abt. 1929.

**106.** BENJAMIN FRANKLIN<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN*<sup>5</sup>, *BENJAMIN FRANKLIN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 25 May 1925, and died 21 May 1989 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. He married EULA EVELYN LASSITER 15 Oct 1950 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for BENJAMIN FRANKLIN GODWIN:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 19189

Name (Age): GODWIN, Benjamin Franklin (63)

Obit. Pub. Date: 05/23/1989

Other Pub. Info.: b. 5-25-1925, s/o Bryan/Maybelle Dixon Godwin, h/o Evelyn Lassiter Godwin, Roselawn Cemetery

Name: BENJAMIN FRANKLIN GODWIN

Age: 63 Years

Death Date: 21 May 1989

Place of Death: Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina

Birth Date: 25 May 1925

Gender: Male

Race: White



Marital Status: Married  
Autopsy: No  
Hospital: General Hospital  
Bed Code: 100 Beds & Over  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Father: GODWIN  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Residence: Johnston, North Carolina

More About BENJAMIN FRANKLIN GODWIN:

Burial: Roselawn Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for BENJAMIN GODWIN and EULA LASSITER:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Benjamin Franklin Godwin  
Gender: Male  
Estimated Birth Year: 1950

Spouse: Eula Evelyn Lassiter  
Spouse Gender: Female  
Spouse Estimated Birth Year : 1950

Marriage Date: 15 Oct 1950  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About BENJAMIN GODWIN and EULA LASSITER:

Marriage: 15 Oct 1950, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of BENJAMIN GODWIN and EULA LASSITER are:

- i. MELINDA SUSAN<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. 16 Aug 1951, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for MELINDA SUSAN GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Melinda Susan Godwin  
Date of Birth: 16 Aug 1951  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Benjamin Franklin  
Parent2 Name: Evelyn Lassiter

Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002

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- ii. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN GODWIN, JR., b. 20 Apr 1955, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. VANESIA KIMBERLY BYRD, 25 Jun 1976, Johnston County, North Carolina; b. 15 Apr 1958, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for BENJAMIN FRANKLIN GODWIN, JR.:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Benjamin Franklin Godwin Jr.

Date of Birth: 20 Apr 1955

Gender: Male

Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Benjamin Franklin

Parent2 Name: Eula Evelyn Lassiter

Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002

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Marriage Notes for BENJAMIN GODWIN and VANESIA BYRD:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Benjamin Franklin Godwin Jr.

Gender: Male

Estimated Birth Year: 1976

Spouse: Vanesia Kimberly Byrd

Spouse Gender: Female

Spouse Estimated Birth Year : 1976

Marriage Date: 25 Jun 1976

Marriage County: Johnston

Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About BENJAMIN GODWIN and VANESIA BYRD:  
Marriage: 25 Jun 1976, Johnston County, North Carolina

- iii. DAVID THOMAS GODWIN, b. 24 Oct 1960, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for DAVID THOMAS GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: David Thomas Godwin  
Date of Birth: 24 Oct 1960  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Benjamin Franklin  
Parent2 Name: Eula Evelyn Lassiter  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
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**107.** EARL HOWARD<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN*<sup>5</sup>, *BENJAMIN FRANKLIN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 05 Dec 1927 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 05 Jan 2006 in Rocky Mount, North Carolina. He married WILSEY BARNES LASSITER.

Notes for EARL HOWARD GODWIN:  
Rose and Graham Funeral Home Obituary  
1/05/2005

Rocky Mount, NC: Mr. Earl Howard Godwin, Sr. age 78 of AlTerra Sterling House, 650 Gold Rock Rd. died Thursday at Nash General Hospital in Rocky Mount. Funeral Services will be 3:00PM Sunday at the Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel in Benson. Officiating will be Rev. Don Williams. Burial will follow in Roselawn Cemetery, Benson.

Mr. Godwin was born December 5, 1927 in Johnston County to the late J. Bryan & Maebelle Dixon Godwin. He was preceded in death by infant Sons, Robert Thomas Godwin, and Ronald Lassiter, and Brothers, Ben Godwin, Mack Godwin, and Bill Godwin. Mr. Godwin was a former resident of Fayetteville and was a retired Yard Master with CSX Railroads. He was also a member at Snyder Memorial Baptist Church in Fayetteville.

Surviving include Daughter, Teresa Godwin of Rocky Mount; Son & Daughter-In-Law, Howard & Rebecca Godwin of Rocky Mount; Sisters, Margaret G. Pipkin of Wilson, and Peggy McDade of Raleigh; Brothers, Walter Godwin of Wilson, Roy Joe Godwin, and Charles Godwin both of Benson.

Family will receive friend 1:30PM to 3:00PM prior to the service at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson.

More About EARL HOWARD GODWIN:  
Burial: 08 Jan 2006, Roselawn Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of EARL GODWIN and WILSEY LASSITER are:

- i. TERESA DIANE<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. 23 Nov 1950, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. EARL HOWARD GODWIN, JR., b. 01 Apr 1952, Harnett County, North

Carolina; m. REBECCA ?.

- iii. ROBERT THOMAS GODWIN, b. 23 May 1958; d. 24 May 1958.

More About ROBERT THOMAS GODWIN:

Burial: Roselawn Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

- iv. RONALD LASSITER GODWIN, b. 23 May 1958; d. 28 May 1958.

More About RONALD LASSITER GODWIN:

Burial: Roselawn Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

**108.** MCKENDREE L. "MACK"<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN*<sup>5</sup>, *BENJAMIN FRANKLIN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 09 Mar 1930 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 12 May 2001 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married JOANNE ALMA LASSITER.

Notes for MCKENDREE L. "MACK" GODWIN:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 20700

Name (Age): GODWIN, Mckendree L. (71)

Obit. Pub. Date: 05/15/2001

Other Pub. Info.: "Mack", d. 12 May 2001, s/o Bryan and Maebelle Dixon, h/o Joanne Lassiter, Roselawn Cem.

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

May 13, 2001

BENSON - Mr. McKendree "Mack" L. Godwin, age 71, of 226 West Hill St. died Saturday at his residence. Funeral Services will be 2 p.m. Monday at the Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel. Officiating will be the Revs. Don Williams and Kendell Cameron. Burial will follow in Roselawn Cemetery.

Mr. Godwin was born March 9, 1930 in Johnston County to the late Bryan and Maebelle Dixon Godwin. He was preceded in death by brothers, William and Benjamin Godwin. Mr. Godwin was a retired Bus Driver for the Carolina Trailways Bus Company. He was also a member of the Benson Baptist Church.

Surviving: wife, Joanne Lassiter Godwin; daughter, Jean G. Justice of Benson; sons, Tommy Godwin and Mark W. Godwin, both of Benson; sisters, Margaret G. Pipkin of Benson and Peggy G. McDade of Raleigh; brothers, Charles Godwin of Benson, Earl Godwin of Fayetteville, Walter Godwin of Wilson, and Roy Joe Godwin of Benson; grandchildren, Bryan Godwin, Karen Justice, Greg Godwin, Kevin Godwin, Wesley Godwin, and Aaron Godwin.

The family will receive friends at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson from 7-9 p.m. Sunday.

More About MCKENDREE L. "MACK" GODWIN:  
Burial: 14 May 2001, Roselawn Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina  
Occupation: Bus Driver

Children of MCKENDREE GODWIN and JOANNE LASSITER are:

- i. JEAN<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, m. ? JUSTICE.
- ii. TOMMY GODWIN.
- iii. MARK WILLIS GODWIN, b. 15 Nov 1955, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for MARK WILLIS GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Marke Willis Godwin  
Date of Birth: 15 Nov 1955  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Mack L  
Parent2 Name: Joanne Lassiter  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 56  
Page: 143

**109.** ROY JOE<sup>6</sup> GODWIN (*WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN*<sup>5</sup>, *BENJAMIN FRANKLIN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) He married SUE ELLEN DENNING 05 Jun 1955 in Johnston County, North Carolina, daughter of BRUCE DENNING and RENA BAREFOOT. She was born 1937 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for SUE ELLEN DENNING:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Sue Ellen Denning  
Date of Birth: 1937  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Bruce  
Parent2 Name: Rena Belle Barefoot  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 24  
Page: 34

Marriage Notes for ROY GODWIN and SUE DENNING:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Sue Ellen Denning

Gender: Female  
Estimated Birth Year: 1955

Spouse: Roy Joe Godwin  
Spouse Gender: Male  
Spouse Estimated Birth Year : 1955

Marriage Date: 5 Jun 1955  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About ROY GODWIN and SUE DENNING:  
Marriage: 05 Jun 1955, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of ROY GODWIN and SUE DENNING are:

- i. RETA SUE<sup>7</sup> GODWIN, b. 12 Jul 1956, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. ANITA MARIE GODWIN, b. 24 Jan 1961, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iii. JOEY BRYAN GODWIN, b. 21 Nov 1965, Harnett County, North Carolina.

*Generation No. 7*

**110.** GRANVILLE MORRISON "SHAMROCK"<sup>7</sup> DENNING (*ANNIE LULA<sup>6</sup> SURLLES, ALBERT FOREST<sup>5</sup>, MARY ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> JOHNSON, ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 23 Apr 1923 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 22 Aug 2001 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married MARGARET "PEGGY" BEASLEY. She was born 21 Mar 1926.

Notes for GRANVILLE MORRISON "SHAMROCK" DENNING:  
News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC) - August 23, 2001

DUNN - Mr. Granville M. "Shamrock" Denning, 78, died Wednesday. Mr. Denning was a Minor League and Semi-Pro baseball player, he was signed in 1945 by the Boston Braves Baseball team before returning to the Raleigh Caps, their farm team. He played for the Dunn-Erwin Twins in the Tobacco State League in 1946, and the Tri-State League in Fayetteville in 1948. In 1949, Shamrock returned to the Dunn-Erwin Twins and played with them until they were sold to the City of Whiteville in 1951. He helped form and manage a Semi-Pro team with the reorganized Tobacco State League. His batting average was never less than 300, and he was one of the most feared hitters in the Minor Leagues.

In later years he worked as Crossing Guard at several Dunn schools. In Shamrock's several careers, he was an inspiration to many, and a true friend to all. Funeral will be 11 a.m. Friday at Skinner Funeral Home Chapel. Burial in Greenwood Cemetery with Masonic Honors.

Surviving are his wife, Peggy Beasley Denning; son and daughter-in-law, Benjamin "Morry" and Jonnie Ann Denning of Dunn; sister Anna Lou Denning of Jacksonville FL; granddaughters, Tara Ann Denning and Sham Megan Denning both of Dunn.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday evening at Skinner Funeral Home.

More About GRANVILLE MORRISON "SHAMROCK" DENNING:

Burial: 24 Aug 2001, Greenwood Cemetery

Occupation: Salesman?Baseball Player

Child of GRANVILLE DENNING and MARGARET BEASLEY is:

138. i. BENJAMIN MORRISON "MORRY"<sup>8</sup> DENNING.

**111.** BRENDA FAYE<sup>7</sup> STEPHENSON (*LOLA PEARL<sup>6</sup> ENNIS, CALVIN<sup>5</sup>, KISIAH<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 30 Apr 1946. She married BILLY GAIL POPE 03 Oct 1964 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of WOODROW POPE and KIZZIE DENNING. He was born 03 Sep 1941.

Marriage Notes for BRENDA STEPHENSON and BILLY POPE:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6400166

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM

Groom: POPE, BILLY GAIL

Bride: STEPHENSON, BRENDA FAYE

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 10/03/1964

Volume: 1964

Page: 166

More About BILLY POPE and BRENDA STEPHENSON:

Marriage: 03 Oct 1964, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of BRENDA STEPHENSON and BILLY POPE is:

i. MARK EDWARD<sup>8</sup> POPE, b. 22 Jul 1966, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**112.** HOWARD WAYNE<sup>7</sup> ENNIS (*HOWARD RUDOLPH<sup>6</sup>, CALVIN<sup>5</sup>, KISIAH<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 28 Mar 1948 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married PATRICIA ANN GREGORY 15 Oct 1966 in Harnett County, North Carolina, daughter of IRA GREGORY and EDITH TURLINGTON. She was born 20 Sep 1949 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for HOWARD ENNIS and PATRICIA GREGORY:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6600068

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM

Groom: ENNIS, HOWARD WAYNE

Bride: GREGORY, PATRICIA ANN

Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 10/15/1966  
Volume: 1966  
Page: 68

More About HOWARD ENNIS and PATRICIA GREGORY:  
Marriage: 15 Oct 1966, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of HOWARD ENNIS and PATRICIA GREGORY are:

- i. TONYA LEA<sup>8</sup> ENNIS, b. 30 Aug 1967, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. CHRISTOPHER WAYNE ENNIS, b. 01 Jun 1969, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**113.** RAYVON<sup>7</sup> STEPHENSON (*LUCILLE<sup>6</sup> ENNIS, CALVIN<sup>5</sup>, KISIAH<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 22 Jun 1951 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 19 Apr 1996 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married FRANCES TART.

Notes for RAYVON STEPHENSON:  
Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
April 21, 1996

COATS -- Rayvon Stephenson, 44, of Route 1 died Friday in his home. He was a self-employed painter. The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Gospel Tabernacle Church by the Revs. Willie Jones and Wanda Bales. Burial will be in the Coats City Cemetery.

Mr. Stephenson is survived by his wife, Frances T. Stephenson, a son, Daniel Stephenson; a stepdaughter, Lisa Roberts of Coats; two brothers, Charles Stephenson and Tony Stephenson, both of Coats; two sisters, Becky Stewart of Cinnccinati and Sandy Turlington of Coats; and two grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 6 to 9 at the Cromartie-Miller & Lee Funeral Home in Dunn and other times at the home, Live Oak Road, Route 1.

More About RAYVON STEPHENSON:  
Burial: 22 Apr 1996, Coats City Cemetery, Coats, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Respiratory Arrest/Metastatic Squamous Cell Carcinoma of Head/Neck Region  
Occupation: Painter

Child of RAYVON STEPHENSON and FRANCES TART is:

- i. DANIEL<sup>8</sup> STEPHENSON.

**114.** SANDY LYNN<sup>7</sup> STEPHENSON (*LUCILLE<sup>6</sup> ENNIS, CALVIN<sup>5</sup>, KISIAH<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 22 Jun 1966. She married JACKIE VANCE TURLINGTON.

Child of SANDY STEPHENSON and JACKIE TURLINGTON is:



- i. SHANON CHRISTY<sup>8</sup> TURLINGTON, b. 14 Jul 1989, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**115.** CATHERINE<sup>7</sup> UPCHURCH (*ALPHA<sup>6</sup> STEPHENSON, EFFIE CELIA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 07 Apr 1925 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 25 Nov 2003 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married JOHN FLEMING PEEDE, son of ? PEEDE and ?. He was born 20 Apr 1925, and died 06 Apr 2001 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for CATHERINE UPCHURCH:

Dunn Daily Record

11/26/2003

Catherine Upchurch Peede, 78, of 249 W. Stewart St., Coats, died Tuesday at Betsy Johnson Regional Hospital in Dunn. She was born April 7, 1925, in Harnett County to the late Ben and Alpha Stephenson Upchurch. She was preceded in death by her husband, J. Fleming Peede, who owned and operated Quality Auto Sales in Coats. Mrs. Peede was a member of Coats Baptist Church, a member of Coats Women's Club and was a homemaker.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 10 a.m. at Coats Baptist Church by the Revs. Jesse Mooney, Ronnie Byrd and Chris Wroten. Burial will follow in Lakeside Memorial Gardens in Angier.

Survivors include a daughter, Cathy Byrd and husband Ronnie of Coats; sons, Jerry F. Peede, Mike Peede and wife Kathy, and Tim Peede and wife Kathy, all of Coats; sisters, Thurlene Stancil of Angier and Peggy Morgan of Dothan, Ala.; grandchildren and spouses, Andrea Peede, Crystal Peede, Jeremy and Paula Byrd, Melissa B. and Stephen Pope, Amy Peede, John Peede, Nicholas Peed and Katie Peede; and great-grandchildren, Hannah, Kelsie and Dustin Byrd.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats.

More About CATHERINE UPCHURCH:

Burial: 27 Nov 2003, Lakeside Memorial Gardens

Notes for JOHN FLEMING PEEDE:

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

April 8, 2001

COATS -- John Fleming Peede, 75, of 249 Stewart St. died Friday in Wake Medical Center in Raleigh. Mr. Peede was an Army veteran of World War II. He owned and operated Quality Auto Sales before retiring. Mr. Peede was a deacon at Coats Baptist Church and a member of the American Legion Banner Post No. 109.

The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. today in Coats Baptist Church by the Revs. Jesse Mooney, Ronnie Byrd and Chris Wroten. Burial will be in Lakeside Memorial Gardens. Arrangements are being handled by Rose & Graham Funeral Home of Coats.

Mr. Peede is survived by his wife, Catherine U. Peede; a daughter, Cathy P. Byrd of Coats; three sons, Jerry Peede, Mike Peede and Tim Peede, all of Coats; a brother, Lenny Peede of Angier; six sisters, Maggie Parrot of Knightdale, Mary D. Stephenson of Angier, Alice Coats of Rocky Mount, Gracie Barbour of Smithfield, Naomi Batson of Wilmington and Marie Young of Petersburg, Va.; eight grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Memorials may be made to Coats Baptist Church building fund, P.O. Box 297, Coats, NC 27521.

More About JOHN FLEMING PEEDE:

Burial: 08 Apr 2001, Lakeside Memorial Gardens

Occupation: Auto Dealer

Children of CATHERINE UPCHURCH and JOHN PEEDE are:

139. i. JERRY FLEMING<sup>8</sup> PEEDE, b. 31 Oct 1944, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 11 Apr 2005, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. CATHY CAROLYN PEEDE, b. 30 Sep 1949, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. RONALD JOSEPH BYRD, 28 Nov 1968, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 05 Oct 1949, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for CATHY PEEDE and RONALD BYRD:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6800044  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: BYRD, RONALD JOSEPH  
Bride: PEEDE, CATHY CAROLYN  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 11/28/1968  
Volume: 1968  
Page: 44

More About RONALD BYRD and CATHY PEEDE:  
Marriage: 28 Nov 1968, Harnett County, North Carolina

- iii. MICHAEL ANTHONY PEEDE, b. 05 Dec 1955, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. KATHY GAIL GRIMES; b. 29 Aug 1957, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iv. JOHN TIMOTHY PEEDE, b. 10 Sep 1961, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. KATHY GREY STRICKLAND, 14 Jun 1981, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 17 Oct 1959, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for JOHN PEEDE and KATHY STRICKLAND:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 8100232  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: PEEDE, JOHN TIMOTHY

Bride: STRICKLAND, KATHY GREY  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 06/14/1981  
Volume: 1981  
Page: 232

More About JOHN PEEDE and KATHY STRICKLAND:  
Marriage: 14 Jun 1981, Harnett County, North Carolina

**116.** THURLEAN<sup>7</sup> UPCHURCH (*ALPHA*<sup>6</sup> *STEPHENSON*, *EFFIE CELIA*<sup>5</sup> *GODWIN*, *RICHARD BRYANT*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) She married THOMAS JUDD STANCIL Abt. 1946, son of CALLIE STANCIL and PEARL ELLEN. He was born 11 Jul 1925 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 13 Nov 2006.

Notes for THOMAS JUDD STANCIL:  
Dunn Daily Record  
11/14/2006

Thomas Judd Stancil, 81, of 669 Jackson-King Road, Angier, died Monday, Nov. 13, 2006. The Johnston County native was born July 11, 1925 to the late Lester and Pearlie Mae Ellen Stancil. He was a World War II U.S. Army veteran, a life member of the VFW and a retired tobacco farmer. He was preceded in death by a sister, Doris Stancil Chappell. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Wednesday at Angier Baptist Church. Burial will follow at Lakeside Memorial Gardens.

Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Thurlean Upchurch Stancil; a daughter, Debra Kay Stancil Hunt and husband Jon of Angier; a son, Lester Stancil and wife Nancy of Angier; sisters, Frances Fish of Fuquay-Varina and Mary Rose Painter of Charlotte; brothers, Ray and Carl Stancil, both of Angier, Russell Stancil of Cary and Robert Stancil of Buies Creek; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 6 to 8 at Bryan-Lee Funeral Home in Angier. Memorials may be made to the Angier Baptist Church Building Fund.

More About THOMAS JUDD STANCIL:  
Burial: 15 Nov 2006, Lakeside Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Military service: United States Army WWII  
Occupation: Tobacco Farmer

More About THOMAS STANCIL and THURLEAN UPCHURCH:  
Marriage: Abt. 1946

Children of THURLEAN UPCHURCH and THOMAS STANCIL are:

- i. THOMAS LESTER<sup>8</sup> STANCIL, b. 18 Mar 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. NANCY ?.
- ii. DEBRA KAY STANCIL, b. 06 Oct 1949, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. JON HUNT.

**117.** BARNES JONES<sup>7</sup> CLAYTON (*MARIE<sup>6</sup> BARNES, FLONNIE FRANCES<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 21 Sep 1940 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 12 Mar 2006 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married (1) PATTY SUE ?. He married (2) PHYLLIS JEANETTE POPE.

Notes for BARNES JONES CLAYTON:  
Dunn Daily Record  
03/14/2006

Barnes Jones Clayton, 65, of 1280 N.C. 55 East, Coats, died Sunday, March 12, 2006, at Betsy Johnson Regional Hospital in Dunn. He was born Sept. 21, 1940, in Harnett County to the late Paul and Marie Barnes Clayton. He was a painting contractor. Funeral services will be held 3 p.m. Wednesday at Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel in Coats by the Rev. Ronnie Byrd. Burial will follow at Lakeside Memorial Gardens in Angier.

Survivors include a daughter, Angela Lee and husband Jimmy of Angier; sons, Mitchell Clayton and wife Lisa of Coats, and Robert Paul Clayton of Sanford; a brother, Boyd Clayton of Willow Spring; five grandchildren; and one great-granddaughter.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats. Condolences may be sent to [www.RoseGrahamFuneralServices.com](http://www.RoseGrahamFuneralServices.com).

More About BARNES JONES CLAYTON:  
Burial: 15 Mar 2006, Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Harnett County, North Carolina  
Cause of Death: Hepatic Encephalopathy  
Occupation: Painting Contractor

Children of BARNES CLAYTON and PATTY ? are:

- i. MITCHEL BARNES<sup>8</sup> CLAYTON, b. 07 Oct 1966, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. LISA ?.
- ii. ANGELA CLAYTON, m. JIMMY LEE.

Child of BARNES CLAYTON and PHYLLIS POPE is:

- iii. ROBERT PAUL<sup>8</sup> CLAYTON, b. 23 Feb 1983, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**118.** KAY FRANCES<sup>7</sup> BARNES (*DENNIS OPIE<sup>6</sup>, FLONNIE FRANCES<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 27 May 1937 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married (1) JAMES LEON JOHNSON, son of ANDREW JOHNSON and LELA AVERY. He was born 25 Apr 1936 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 06 Sep 2001. She married (2) RONALD RAY WIGGINS Aft. 1961.

Notes for JAMES LEON JOHNSON:  
Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
September 9, 2001

James Leon Johnson Sr., 65, of Coats, died Friday in his home. Mr. Johnson worked in the public utility department for Harnett County. He was a member of Coats Untied Methodist Church. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in Rose & Graham Funeral Home chapel in Coats by the Rev. Tommy Smith. Burial will be in Coats City Cemetery.

Mr. Johnson is survived by a son, James L. Johnson Jr. of Coats; a daughter, Jackie E. Mills of Coats; a sister, Evelyn Roberts of Coats; and seven grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home.

More About JAMES LEON JOHNSON:

Burial: 09 Sep 2001, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Occupation: Public Utilities

More About RONALD WIGGINS and KAY BARNES:

Marriage: Aft. 1961

Children of KAY BARNES and JAMES JOHNSON are:

- i. JAMES LEON<sup>8</sup> JOHNSON, JR., b. 09 Jul 1956, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. CAROLYN ANN BEASLEY, 28 Mar 1973, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for JAMES LEON JOHNSON, JR.:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: James Leon Johnson Jr.  
Date of Birth: 9 Jul 1956  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Kay Frances Barnes  
Parent2 Name: James Leon  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 58  
Page: 454

Marriage Notes for JAMES JOHNSON and CAROLYN BEASLEY:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 7300123  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: JOHNSON JR, JAMES LEON  
Bride: BEASLEY, CAROLYN ANN  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 03/28/1973  
Volume: 1973  
Page: 123

More About JAMES JOHNSON and CAROLYN BEASLEY:  
Marriage: 28 Mar 1973, Harnett County, North Carolina

- ii. RITA LYNN JOHNSON, b. 19 Sep 1957, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 26 Feb 1994, Durham, North Carolina; m. DANNY LEE POLLARD, 03 Dec 1976, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for RITA LYNN JOHNSON:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Rita Lynn Johnson  
Date of Birth: 19 Sep 1957  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Kay Francis Barnes  
Parent2 Name: James Leon  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 61  
Page: 197

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Rita Johnson Pollard  
Death Date: 27 Feb 1994  
Death City: Durham (P)  
Death County: Durham  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 36  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 19 Sep 1957

Residence County: Harnett  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Father: Johnson Sr  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Divorced  
Autopsy: Yes  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Medical Examiner

More About RITA LYNN JOHNSON:  
Occupation: State Correctional Officer

Marriage Notes for RITA JOHNSON and DANNY POLLARD:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 7600212  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: POLLARD, DANNY LEE  
Bride: JOHNSON, RITA LYNN  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 12/03/1976  
Volume: 1976  
Page: 212

More About DANNY POLLARD and RITA JOHNSON:  
Marriage: 03 Dec 1976, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of KAY BARNES and RONALD WIGGINS is:

- iii. RON CHRISTOPHER<sup>8</sup> WIGGINS, b. 18 Aug 1971, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 28 Oct 1971, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for RON CHRISTOPHER WIGGINS:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Ron Christopher Wiggins  
Date of Birth: 19 Aug 1971  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Ronald Ray  
Parent2 Name: Kay Frances Barnes  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66003  
Volume: 94  
Page: 146

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Ron Wiggins  
Death Date: 28 Oct 1971  
Death City: Smithfield  
Death County: Johnston  
Death State: North Carolina  
Date Death Recorded:  
Death Age Days: 2  
Death Age: 0

Birth Date: abt. 1971

Residence County: Johnston  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Never Married  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

**119.** OPIE LOUIS<sup>7</sup> BARNES (*DENNIS OPIE*<sup>6</sup>, *FLONNIE FRANCES*<sup>5</sup> *GODWIN*, *RICHARD BRYANT*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 27 Jul 1945 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married SANDRA LYNN ENNIS.

Children of OPIE BARNES and SANDRA ENNIS are:

- i. DENNIS SCOTT<sup>8</sup> BARNES, b. 31 Aug 1964, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for DENNIS SCOTT BARNES:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Dennis Scott Barnes  
Date of Birth: 31 Aug 1964  
Birth County: Harnett  
Parent1 Name: Opie Louis Barnes  
Roll Number: B\_C048\_66004  
Volume: 52  
Page: 73

- ii. PAMELA ELSIE BARNES, b. 26 Dec 1967, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for PAMELA ELSIE BARNES:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Pamela Elsie Barnes  
Date of Birth: 26 Dec 1967  
Birth County: Harnett  
Parent1 Name: Opie Louis Barnes  
Roll Number: B\_C048\_66004

- iii. NATALIE ELAINE BARNES, b. 30 Jan 1971, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for NATALIE ELAINE BARNES:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Natalie Elaine Barnes



Date of Birth: 30 Jan 1971  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Opie Louis  
Parent2 Name: Sandra Lynn Ennis  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66003  
Volume: 92  
Page: 278

**120.** DONALD EARL<sup>7</sup> MCLEOD (*LILLIAN HELEN<sup>6</sup> DENNING, MEDDIE MELINDA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 05 Jun 1923 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 30 Nov 2006 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. He married LILLIAN ?.

Notes for DONALD EARL MCLEOD:  
Social Security Death Index

Name: Donald E. McLeod  
SSN:  
Last Residence: 27603 Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina, United States of America  
Born: 5 Jun 1923  
Died: 30 Nov 2006  
State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (Before 1951)

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
December 2, 2006

RALEIGH - Donald E. McLeod, 83, died peacefully in his sleep at Raleigh Health and Rehabilitation Center, November 30, 2006. Funeral service will be 1 p.m. Monday at Montlawn Funeral Home chapel. Burial will follow at Montlawn Memorial Park, Raleigh.

Donald is survived by his wife, Lillian "Mickey" McLeod; daughters, Sandra Vaughn of Garner, Theresa McLeod of Angier, Dianne and husband, Dennis Hudson of Clinton, Sue Kornegay of Durham; sisters, Mary Frances Coats of Angier, Faye Creech of Angier, Peggie Franklin of Angier, Betty Ann Fisher of Springfield, MO; one brother, Andy McLeod of Cary; grandchildren, Kelly Jones, Leah Ottaway, Jared Vaughn, Coley Maynard, Steven Maynard, Brittney Hudson, Natalie Hudson, Chris Allen; great-grandchildren, Brittney Eason, Matthew Eason, Samantha Ottaway.

He was preceded in death by his son, Ronnie McLeod.

The family will receive friends 11 a.m. 1 p.m. at Montlawn Funeral Home prior to service. Arrangements by Montlawn Funeral Home, 2911 S Wilmington St., Raleigh, NC. Condolences may be made at [www.montlawn.com](http://www.montlawn.com).

More About DONALD EARL MCLEOD:

Burial: 04 Dec 2006, Montlawn Memorial Park Cemetery, Raleigh, North Carolina

Children of DONALD MCLEOD and LILLIAN ? are:

- i. SANDRA<sup>8</sup> MCLEOD, m. ? VAUGHN.
- ii. THERESA MCLEOD.
- iii. DIANNE MCLEOD, m. DENNIS HUDSON.
- iv. SUE MCLEOD, m. ? KORNEGAY.
- v. RONNIE MCLEOD.

**121.** MARY FRANCES<sup>7</sup> MCLEOD (*LILLIAN HELEN<sup>6</sup> DENNING, MEDDIE MELINDA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 28 Jun 1927 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 20 Feb 2007 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. She married WILLIAM AMOS COATS, JR. 10 May 1944, son of WILLIAM COATS and DESSIE STEPHENSON. He was born 10 Aug 1924, and died 19 Apr 1988 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for MARY FRANCES MCLEOD:

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

02/22/2007

Mary Frances McLeod Coats, 79, of 131 Wilma Street, died Tuesday morning at Rex Healthcare. A native of Harnett County, she was the daughter of the late Joseph Malcolm and Lillian Denning McLeod.

After graduating from Angier High School in 1944, Mary Frances McLeod and W. A. Coats, Jr., were married on May 10, 1944 and after almost 44 years of life together, Mr. Coats passed away on April 19, 1988. Mrs. Coats was also a graduate of Hales Business College in Raleigh.

They were the owners of Coats Properties, which over the years substantially contributed to the growth and development of the town of Angier. Eastover Homes, North Hickory Homes, Plaza Self Storage, North Park Apartments, Angier Car Wash 1 & 2, Angier Plaza Shopping Center and Crestview Mobile Home Park are among the list of the commercial developments owned by Mary and W. A. Coats.

Coats & Shelley Construction, for which Mrs. Coats was office manager and bookkeeper, built other commercial properties across the state as well as in Virginia and South Carolina. Mrs. Coats was an organizer of several bus trips to U.S. destinations for the pleasure of Angier residents. She taught ceramic classes from her home in earlier years, was a secretary and bookkeeper for Electric Sales and Service.

An active member of Angier Baptist Church, choir member and Sunday School teacher, she was also in the Women's Missionary Union as a Circle leader and Girl's Auxiliary leader. She was Rotary Club president, a board member of BB&T Bank in Angier and Backers Club member of the North Carolina Theatre and Angier Chamber of Commerce member. Before the Junior Woman's Club disbanded, she served as president. Her charity work included serving as chairperson for the Angier Cancer Drive and Easter Seals Campaign.

She was preceded in death by her brothers, Bob McLeod, Ray McLeod, Wesley McLeod, and

Donald McLeod. Funeral service will be held 11 a.m. Friday at Angier Baptist Church with Rev. Grover K. Blackburn, Jr., Rev. Joe Zimmerman, Rev. Robert Coats and Rev. Craig McLeod officiating. Burial will follow at Montlawn Memorial Park, Raleigh.

Surviving: daughter, Mary Jill Vann of Angier; son, William Alan Coats of New York; grandchildren, William Corey Vann and Kenneth Ashley Vann, both of Angier; sisters, Betty Ann Fisher of Springfield, MO, Lillian Faye Creech and Peggy Lou Franklin, both of Angier; brother, Andy McLeod of Cary.

The family will receive friends 6-8 p.m. Thursday at Bryan-Lee Funeral Home, Angier and other times at the home. Memorial contributions may be made to: the Mary Frances Coats Memorial Fund, c/o Angier Baptist Church, P.O. Box 130, Angier, NC 27501. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com](http://www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com).

More About MARY FRANCES MCLEOD:

Burial: 23 Feb 2007, Montlawn Memorial Park Cemetery, Raleigh, North Carolina

Occupation: Property Owner

Notes for WILLIAM AMOS COATS, JR.:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: William Amos Coats JR.

Death Date: Apr 1988

Death City: Raleigh

Death County: Wake

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 63

Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 10 Aug 1924

Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Harnett

Residence State: North Carolina

Father: Coats SR

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Social Security Number:

Autopsy: No

Institution: General Hospital

Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1988-92

Social Security Death Index

Name: W. A. Coats

SSN:

Last Residence: 27501 Angier, Harnett, North Carolina, United States of America

Born: 10 Aug 1924

Died: 19 Apr 1988

State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (Before 1951)

More About WILLIAM COATS and MARY MCLEOD:

Marriage: 10 May 1944

Children of MARY MCLEOD and WILLIAM COATS are:

- i. WILLIAM ALAN<sup>8</sup> COATS, b. 03 Dec 1957, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. MARY JILL COATS, b. 04 Apr 1960, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? VANN.

**122.** LINDA LEE<sup>7</sup> STEPHENSON (*LEON<sup>6</sup> DENNING, MEDDIE MELINDA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 15 Aug 1939 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 19 Jan 2008 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married (1) ? KEELING Bef. 1956. She married (2) MICHAEL STEPHEN MILLIRON 27 Jun 1964 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married (3) LARRY GENE STEWART 30 Mar 1985 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for LINDA LEE STEPHENSON:

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

01/22/2008

Linda Lee Stewart, 68, of 434 South Raleigh Street, died Saturday, at Betsy-Johnson Hospital. A native of Harnett County, she was the daughter of the late Enoch and Leon Denning Stephenson and a member of the Eastern Star for over 30 years. Funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, in the chapel of Bryan-Lee Funeral Home, Angier. Burial will follow in Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Angier.

Surviving are her husband, Larry Gene Stewart; sons, Jody Milliron and wife, Kim of Angier, Todd Milliron and wife, Paula of Garner, and Ricky Keeling and wife, Kim of Willow Spring; and six grandchildren. She was preceded in death by son, Michael Lynn Milliron and grandson, Joshua Enoch Keeling.

The family will receive friends, Tuesday from 6:00-8:00 p.m., at Bryan-Lee Funeral Home and at other times at the home. The family would like to express their special thanks to Linda's caregiver for the past two years, Cliftina Trochez for her special care and love for Linda. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com](http://www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com).

More About LINDA LEE STEPHENSON:

Burial: 23 Jan 2008, Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Angier, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About ? KEELING and LINDA STEPHENSON:

Marriage: Bef. 1956

Marriage Notes for LINDA STEPHENSON and MICHAEL MILLIRON:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6400135  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: MILLIRON, MICHAEL STEPHEN  
Bride: MITCHELL, LINDA STEPHENSON  
Maiden Surname: STEPHENSON  
Date of Marriage: 06/27/1964  
Volume: 1964  
Page: 135

More About MICHAEL MILLIRON and LINDA STEPHENSON:  
Marriage: 27 Jun 1964, Harnett County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for LINDA STEPHENSON and LARRY STEWART:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 8500309  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: STEWART, LARRY GENE  
Bride: MILLIRON, LINDA LEE STEPHENSON  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 03/30/1985  
Volume: 1985  
Page: 309

More About LARRY STEWART and LINDA STEPHENSON:  
Marriage: 30 Mar 1985, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of LINDA STEPHENSON and ? KEELING is:  
140. i. RICKY ARDEN<sup>8</sup> KEELING, b. 1956.

Children of LINDA STEPHENSON and MICHAEL MILLIRON are:  
ii. MICHAEL LYNN<sup>8</sup> MILLIRON, b. 27 May 1965, Harnett County, North Carolina.  
iii. STEPHEN TODD MILLIRON, b. 08 Nov 1966, Harnett County, North Carolina.  
iv. JODY LEE MILLIRON, b. 24 Mar 1972, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**123.** JIMMIE ODELL<sup>7</sup> MATTHEWS (*LENORA<sup>6</sup> DENNING, MEDDIE MELINDA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 21 Feb 1935 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 08 Oct 1999 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married MARIAN JEANETTE JONES 26 Mar 1954 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for JIMMIE ODELL MATTHEWS:  
News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
October 9, 1999

ANGIER - Jimmie O. Matthews 64, a retired fireman from Pope A.F. Base, died Friday, Oct.

8, 1999. Funeral 2 p.m. Sunday, Neill's Creek Baptist Church with Dr. Greg McClain officiating. Burial, church cemetery.

Surviving: wife, Jean Jones Matthews; daughters, Patricia Ann Williford and son-in-law, Tony of Agier; brother, Rex Matthews; nephew, Tomie Matthews, granddaughters, Toni, Tori and Tabitha.

Family will receive friends 7-9 p.m. Saturday at Overby-Johnson Funeral Home. Contributions may be made to Neill's Creek Baptist Church Choir Fund, Neill's Creek Church Rd., Angier.

More About JIMMIE ODELL MATTHEWS:

Burial: Neill's Creek Baptist Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Occupation: Fireman

Marriage Notes for JIMMIE MATTHEWS and MARIAN JONES:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 5400090

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM

Groom: MATTHEWS, JIMMY ODELL

Bride: JONES, MARIAN JEANETTE

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 03/26/1954

Volume: 1954

Page: 90

More About JIMMIE MATTHEWS and MARIAN JONES:

Marriage: 26 Mar 1954, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of JIMMIE MATTHEWS and MARIAN JONES is:

- i. PATRICIA ANN<sup>8</sup> MATTHEWS, m. TONY WILLIFORD.

**124.** LORAL ALMIRA<sup>7</sup> GODWIN (*LEEWOOD "L. W."*<sup>6</sup>, *RUFUS JENTRY*<sup>5</sup>, *HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) She married EDWARD VERNON AMMONS, son of JOHN AMMONS and EVA BYRD. He was born 07 Nov 1932 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Children of LORAL GODWIN and EDWARD AMMONS are:

- i. CATHY ANN<sup>8</sup> AMMONS, b. 17 May 1958, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. LARRY EDWARD AMMONS, b. 05 May 1961, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iii. CAROLYN SUE AMMONS, b. 14 Jun 1963, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**125.** RUFUS LANE<sup>7</sup> GODWIN (*RUFUS JENTRY "TINK"*<sup>6</sup>, *RUFUS JENTRY*<sup>5</sup>, *HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 01 Jun 1952. He married CATHY EDWINA FREEMAN 25 Apr 1970 in Johnston County, North Carolina, daughter of EDWIN FREEMAN and RUBY

SURLES. She was born 06 Nov 1949 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for CATHY EDWINA FREEMAN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Cathy Edwina Freeman  
Date of Birth: 6 Nov 1949  
Gender: Female  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Edwin Wilson  
Parent2 Name: Ruby Surles  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 40  
Page: 779

Marriage Notes for RUFUS GODWIN and CATHY FREEMAN:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Rufus Lane Godwin  
Gender: Male  
Estimated Birth Year: 1970

Spouse: Cathy Edwina Freeman  
Spouse Gender: Female  
Spouse Estimated Birth Year : 1970

Marriage Date: 25 Apr 1970  
Marriage County: Johnston  
Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About RUFUS GODWIN and CATHY FREEMAN:  
Marriage: 25 Apr 1970, Johnston County, North Carolina

Child of RUFUS GODWIN and CATHY FREEMAN is:

- i. WILSON LANE<sup>8</sup> GODWIN, b. 07 Nov 1970, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for WILSON LANE GODWIN:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Wilson Lane Godwin  
Date of Birth: 7 Nov 1970  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Rufus Lane  
Parent2 Name: Cathy Edwina Freeman  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66003  
Volume: 91  
Page: 336

**126.** CALE JENTRY<sup>7</sup> GODWIN (*RUFUS JENTRY "TINK"*<sup>6</sup>, *RUFUS JENTRY*<sup>5</sup>, *HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 07 Apr 1966. He married LEAH ANN ?.

Child of CALE GODWIN and LEAH ? is:

- i. BRANDON CALE<sup>8</sup> GODWIN, b. 12 Oct 1990, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**127.** VERNON EDSSEL<sup>7</sup> LANGDON (*MARY REBON*<sup>6</sup> *HARGIS*, *MARY EDITH*<sup>5</sup> *GODWIN*, *HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 20 Mar 1931 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married ORPHA BELINDA BYRD, daughter of JOHN BYRD and ILA STEPHENSON.

Notes for VERNON EDSSEL LANGDON:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Vernon Edsel Langdon  
Date of Birth: 20 Mar 1931  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Mack Vernon  
Parent2 Name: Mary Rebon Hargis  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 18  
Page: 1051

Children of VERNON LANGDON and ORPHA BYRD are:

141.
  - i. EDSSEL TY<sup>8</sup> LANGDON, b. 06 Jun 1965, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 20 May 2006, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
142.
  - ii. DEBORA LANGDON.

**128.** HAROLD RAY<sup>7</sup> LANGDON (*MARY REBON*<sup>6</sup> *HARGIS*, *MARY EDITH*<sup>5</sup> *GODWIN*, *HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 13 Feb 1934 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married INA RUTH LEE 29 Sep 1954 in Dillon, South Carolina, daughter of FERNIE LEE and IVA STEVENS. She was born 29 Sep 1929.

Notes for HAROLD RAY LANGDON:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Harold Ray Langdon  
Date of Birth: 13 Feb 1934



Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: M Vernon  
Parent2 Name: Reba Hargis  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 21  
Page: 1204

Marriage Notes for HAROLD LANGDON and INA LEE:  
Dunn Daily Record  
10/15/2004

Harold Ray and Ina Ruth Lee Langdon of the McGee's Crossroads community celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Sept. 29. The Langdons were married in Dillon, S.C., on Sept. 29, 1954.

Mr. Langdon is the son of Mary Rebon Hargis Langdon of Willow Spring and the late Mack Vernon Langdon. Mrs. Langdon is the daughter of the late Fernie B. and Iva Mae Stevens Lee.

The couple has three children, Jerry Richard Langdon and wife Lori Anne of Raleigh; Mack Ray and wife Jan Langdon of Willow Spring; and Karen and husband Johnny Stancil of Benson.

Their grandchildren are S. Keith Langdon of Simi Valley, Calif.; John William Stancil of Benson; and Edie Ashton and Erin MacKenzie Langdon, both of Willow Spring.

A private dinner party was held in the Langdons' honor, and they received a congratulatory letter from President and Mrs. George W. Bush. Their children and grandchildren presented them with a trip to a destination of their choice. The date also marked the occasion of Mrs. Langdon's 75th birthday.

More About HAROLD LANGDON and INA LEE:  
Marriage: 29 Sep 1954, Dillon, South Carolina

Children of HAROLD LANGDON and INA LEE are:

- i. JERRY RICHARD<sup>8</sup> LANGDON, m. LORI ANNE ?.
- ii. MACK RAY LANGDON, m. JAN ?.
- iii. KAREN LANGDON, m. JOHNNY STANCIL.

**129.** JOSEPH WELDON<sup>7</sup> BYRD (*NETA CHELTON<sup>6</sup> HARGIS, MARY EDITH<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 31 Mar 1940 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 30 Mar 2004 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He married JOY ESTELLE CLIFTON.

She was born 17 Aug 1941 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for JOSEPH WELDON BYRD:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Joseph Weldon Byrd  
Date of Birth: 31 Mar 1940  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Joseph Roger  
Parent2 Name: Neta Hargis  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66001  
Volume: 27  
Page: 1102

Smithfield Herald  
April 2, 2004

J. Weldon Byrd, 63, of 1722 Stephenson Road near Benson died Tuesday, March 30, at his home. Born March 31, 1940, in Johnston County, Mr. Byrd was the son of Neta Hargis Byrd of Benson and the late Joseph Roger Byrd. He was a retired drywall contractor. The funeral was at 2 p.m. Thursday, April 1, at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson. The Rev. Tim Bunn officiated.

Surviving in addition to his mother are two sons, Joseph Michael Byrd of Benson and Sean Kelly Byrd of Roxboro; two sisters, Barbara Byrd of Garner and Brenda Dunn of Angier; and a grandson.

The family suggests memorial contributions to the charity of one's choice.

More About JOSEPH WELDON BYRD:  
Burial: 01 Apr 2004, Fellowship Community Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of JOSEPH BYRD and JOY CLIFTON are:

- i. JOSEPH MICHAEL<sup>8</sup> BYRD, b. 19 Jan 1963, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for JOSEPH MICHAEL BYRD:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Joseph Michael Byrd  
Date of Birth: 19 Jan 1963  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Joy Estelle Clifton

Parent2 Name: Joseph Wldon  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 73  
Page: 391

- ii. SEAN KELLY BYRD, b. 17 May 1965, Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for SEAN KELLY BYRD:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Sean Kelly Byrd  
Date of Birth: 17 May 1965  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Joy Estelle Clifton  
Parent2 Name: Joseph Weldon  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 78  
Page: 377

**130.** RACHEL FRANCES<sup>7</sup> IVEY (*NETTIE ANN*<sup>6</sup> *PARRISH*, *PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE"*<sup>5</sup>, *GILLIE A.*<sup>4</sup> *GODWIN*, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 01 Jul 1930. She married (1) BILLY RAY PARRISH, son of JUNIUS PARRISH and ALICE JOHNSON. He was born 30 Sep 1931 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 09 Oct 1985 in Chapel Hill, North Carolina. She married (2) PAUL YOUNG. She married (3) WILLIE AMBROSEECHIA.

Notes for BILLY RAY PARRISH:  
PARRISH, BILLY RAY

Death Date: 09 October 1985  
Gender: Male  
Place of Death: Chapel Hill (P), Orange, North Carolina  
Race: White  
Residence: , Johnston, North Carolina  
Age: 54 Years  
Autopsy: No  
Marital Status: Married  
Hospital: General Hospital Bed Code: 100 Beds & Over  
Attendant: Physician  
Burial: Burial in state  
Birth Date: 30 September 1931  
State of Birth: North Carolina  
Father: PARRISH

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 40080

Name (Age): PARRISH, Billy Ray (54)

Obit. Pub. Date: 10/11/1985

Other Pub. Info.: b.9-30-1931 Harnett Co.,s/o Delma/Alice Johnson Parrish, h/o Rachel Ivey Parrish, Parrish Family Cem., Rt. 1, Angier

More About BILLY RAY PARRISH:

Burial: Parrish Family Cemetery, Angier, North Carolina

Children of RACHEL IVEY and BILLY PARRISH are:

- i. DONNIE RAY<sup>8</sup> PARRISH, b. 24 Jan 1953, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. JOHNNY WAYNE PARRISH, b. 12 Mar 1956, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iii. KEVIN DALE PARRISH, b. 23 Aug 1972, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**131.** THENA ETTA<sup>7</sup> IVEY (*NETTIE ANN<sup>6</sup> PARRISH, PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE"<sup>5</sup>, GILLIE A.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 27 Jan 1935. She married HOWARD SMITH 05 Feb 1954 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of GEORGE SMITH and SYMANTHA MASON. He was born 29 Dec 1931.

More About HOWARD SMITH and THENA IVEY:

Marriage: 05 Feb 1954, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of THENA IVEY and HOWARD SMITH are:

- 143.
- i. MICHAEL KENT<sup>8</sup> SMITH, b. 05 Feb 1960.
  - ii. CRAIG ANTHONY SMITH, b. 28 Oct 1961.

**132.** DUFFIE TALMADGE<sup>7</sup> IVEY, JR. (*NETTIE ANN<sup>6</sup> PARRISH, PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE"<sup>5</sup>, GILLIE A.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 05 Nov 1946. He married (1) JACKIE LEE WHEELER. He married (2) JUDY STANCIL.

Child of DUFFIE IVEY and JACKIE WHEELER is:

- i. JACKIE ANN<sup>8</sup> IVEY, b. 05 Feb 1966, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**133.** ETHEL ANN<sup>7</sup> IVEY (*NETTIE ANN<sup>6</sup> PARRISH, PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE"<sup>5</sup>, GILLIE A.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 15 Jun 1950. She married CONNIE RAY HOLLAND, son of RAEFORD HOLLAND and ETHEL SMITH. He was born 24 Jun 1948 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Children of ETHEL IVEY and CONNIE HOLLAND are:

- i. CONNIE EUGENE<sup>8</sup> HOLLAND, b. 1967.
- ii. CYNTHIA ANN HOLLAND, b. 14 Mar 1969.

**134.** JAMES DOUGLAS<sup>7</sup> JOHNSON (*DOROTHY RUTH<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, PARROTT HOSEA<sup>5</sup>, PARROTT*

*GREEN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 26 May 1943 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married (1) FREDa DAY ADAMS 14 Feb 1964 in Harnett County, North Carolina, daughter of GEORGE ADAMS and CALLIE ENNIS. She was born 03 Jun 1947 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married (2) VICKIE LYNN STEWART 11 Aug 1967 in Harnett County, North Carolina, daughter of FLOYD STEWART and ANNIE PARTIN. She was born 14 May 1949 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for JAMES JOHNSON and FREDa ADAMS:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6400108  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: JOHNSON, JAMES DOUGLAS  
Bride: ADAMS, FREDa DAY  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 02/14/1964  
Volume: 1964  
Page: 108

More About JAMES JOHNSON and FREDa ADAMS:  
Marriage: 14 Feb 1964, Harnett County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for JAMES JOHNSON and VICKIE STEWART:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6700117  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: JOHNSON, JAMES DOUGLAS  
Bride: STEWART, VICKI LYNN  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 08/11/1967  
Volume: 1967  
Page: 117

More About JAMES JOHNSON and VICKIE STEWART:  
Marriage: 11 Aug 1967, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of JAMES JOHNSON and VICKIE STEWART is:

- i. JAMES DOUGLAS<sup>8</sup> JOHNSON, JR., b. 07 Dec 1970, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**135.** JOYCE PAULETTE<sup>7</sup> JOHNSON (*DOROTHY RUTH*<sup>6</sup> *GODWIN*, *PARROTT HOSEA*<sup>5</sup>, *PARROTT GREEN*<sup>4</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 20 Dec 1952 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married (1) DALE WAYNE YOUNG 17 Jun 1973 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of ORVILLE YOUNG and GAYNELLE MITCHELL. He was born 18 Jan 1953 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. She married (2) TONY WARREN Aft. 1978.

Marriage Notes for JOYCE JOHNSON and DALE YOUNG:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 7300304  
Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: YOUNG, DALE WAYNE  
Bride: JOHNSON, JOYCE PAULETTE  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 06/17/1973  
Volume: 1973  
Page: 304

More About DALE YOUNG and JOYCE JOHNSON:  
Marriage: 17 Jun 1973, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About TONY WARREN and JOYCE JOHNSON:  
Marriage: Aft. 1978

Child of JOYCE JOHNSON and DALE YOUNG is:

- i. JOSHUA DALE<sup>8</sup> YOUNG, b. 15 Mar 1978, Harnett County, North Carolina.

**136.** HILDA RUTH<sup>7</sup> GRIMES (*FLORENCE ELIZABETH<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, AGGIE J.<sup>5</sup>, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN<sup>4</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 03 Dec 1925 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 31 Dec 1997 in Wake County, North Carolina. She married OSCAR WALTON HEDRICK, JR., son of OSCAR HEDRICK and ?. He was born 06 Jun 1920, and died 13 Aug 1987 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for HILDA RUTH GRIMES:  
Social Security Death Index

Name: Hilda G. Hedrick  
SSN:  
Last Residence: 27545 Knightdale, Wake, North Carolina, United States of America  
Born: 3 Dec 1925  
Died: 31 Dec 1997  
State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (Before 1951)

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
January 1, 1998

Hilda Grimes Hedrick, 72, of 516 First Avenue, died Wednesday, Dec. 31, 1997 at her home. Mrs. Hedrick retired from N.C. State University Health Services. Funeral service 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 2, 1998 at Knightdale Baptist Church. Burial, New Knightdale Baptist Church Cemetery.

Surviving: daughter, Sheree Hedrick Gardner of Wendell; sons, Walton "Walt" Hedrick of the

home, Robert Grimes Hedrick of Coats, Philip Alan Hedrick and his wife, Mary Ann of Knightdale; mother, Florence G. Grimes of Lillington; sister, Jenny G. Stephenson of Coats; granddaughter, Emma Ruth Gardner of Wendell.

Mrs Hedrick was preceded in death by her husband, O.W. Hedrick Jr. in 1987; son, David Hedrick in November 1995; father, Alton Grimes in 1974.

Family will receive relatives and friends from 7-9 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 1, 1998 at L. Harold Poole Funeral Service & Crematory, 944 Old Knight Road, Knightdale, NC 27545 and other times at the home. Flowers are accepted, but the family suggest memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society, Wake County Unit - Research c/o Triangle Research Center, 620 W. Morgan Street, Raleigh, NC 27603 or to Hospice of Wake County, Inc, 4513 Creedmoor Road, Fourth Floor, Raleigh, NC 27612.

More About HILDA RUTH GRIMES:

Burial: 02 Jan 1998, New Knightdale Baptist Church Cemetery, Wake County, North Carolina

Notes for OSCAR WALTON HEDRICK, JR.:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Oscar Walton Hedrick JR.

Death Date: 13 Aug 1987

Death City: Raleigh

Death County: Wake

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 67

Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 6 Jun 1920

Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Wake

Residence State: North Carolina

Father: H

Gender: Male

Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Social Security Number:

Institution: General Hospital

Attendant: Medical Examiner

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1983-87

Children of HILDA GRIMES and OSCAR HEDRICK are:

- i. DAVID BRIAN<sup>8</sup> HEDRICK, b. 24 Nov 1954; d. 05 Nov 1995, Durham, North Carolina.

Notes for DAVID BRIAN HEDRICK:  
North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: David Brian Hedrick  
Death Date: 5 Nov 1995  
Death City: Durham (P)  
Death County: Durham  
Death State: North Carolina  
Death Age: 40  
Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 24 Nov 1954

Residence County: Wake  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Father: Hedrick JR  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Marital Status: Married  
Social Security Number:  
Autopsy: No  
Institution: General Hospital  
Attendant: Physician

Source: NC Department of Health. North Carolina Deaths, 1993-96

144.      ii.  SHEREE HEDRICK.  
          iii.  WALTON HEDRICK.  
          iv.  ROBERT GRIMES HEDRICK.  
          v.  PHILLIP ALAN HEDRICK, m. MARY ANN ?.

**137.** JENNY LIND<sup>7</sup> GRIMES (*FLORENCE ELIZABETH<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, AGGIE J.<sup>5</sup>, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN<sup>4</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 01 Apr 1930 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married WADE COOLIDGE STEPHENSON 05 Jun 1948 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of INGHAM STEPHENSON and LULA PLEASANT. He was born 16 Jan 1926 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 02 Jul 1997 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for WADE COOLIDGE STEPHENSON:  
Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
July 4, 1997

COATS -- Wade C. Stephenson, 69, of 300 S. Carrie St. died Wednesday in his home. Mr. Stephenson was a retired teacher and correctional officer. He owned and operated Wade's Restaurant and two Tastee-Freez franchises. He was a member of Coats Baptist Church and served two terms as president of Coats Chamber of Commerce. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday in Coats Baptist Church by the Rev. Jesse Mooney. Burial will be in Coats city cemetery.

Mr. Stephenson is survived by his wife, Jennie G. Stephenson; a son, the Rev. Steve



Stephenson of Princeton; three daughters, Kathy Gerber of Henderson, and Diane Allen and Ellen Brown, both of Lillington; four brothers, the Rev. John B. Stephenson of Coats, Lindsey Stephenson of New Jersey, A.D. Stephenson of Garner and David Stephenson of Angier; three sisters, Pauline S. Guy of Willow Spring, and Leola Stephenson and Sue S. Nooney, both of Angier; and nine grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church building fund, P.O. Box 297, Coats, N.C. 27521.

More About WADE COOLIDGE STEPHENSON:

Burial: 05 Jul 1997, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Carcinoid Tumor

Occupation: Public School Teacher/Coach

Marriage Notes for JENNY GRIMES and WADE STEPHENSON:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 4800155

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM

Groom: STEPHENSON, WADE COOLEGDE

Bride: GRIMES, JENNY LIND

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 06/05/1948

Volume: 1948

Page: 155

More About WADE STEPHENSON and JENNY GRIMES:

Marriage: 05 Jun 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of JENNY GRIMES and WADE STEPHENSON are:

- i. STEVE<sup>8</sup> STEPHENSON.
- ii. KATHY STEPHENSON, m. ? GERBER.
- iii. DIANE STEPHENSON, m. ? ALLEN.
- iv. ELLEN STEPHENSON, m. ? BROWN.

#### *Generation No. 8*

**138.** BENJAMIN MORRISON "MORRY"<sup>8</sup> DENNING (*GRANVILLE MORRISON "SHAMROCK"*<sup>7</sup>, *ANNIE LULA*<sup>6</sup> *SURLES*, *ALBERT FOREST*<sup>5</sup>, *MARY ELIZABETH*<sup>4</sup> *JOHNSON*, *ELIZABETH*<sup>3</sup> *GODWIN*, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) He married JONNIE ANN EMORY, daughter of ROBERT EMORY and BARBARA ?.

Notes for BENJAMIN MORRISON "MORRY" DENNING:

Dunn Daily Record

7/4/2005

Dunn PD: Denning Promoted To Major; Strickland Is New Captain

The chain of command has not changed, but titles of two of Dunn's top police officers have. Morry Denning, who was a captain, has been named major. The last officer in the Dunn Police Department promoted to major was Bobby Maynard in 1995, who retired in 1997. Lt. Tony Strickland, who heads up the Criminal Investigations Division (CID), has been promoted to captain. The appointments were effective Friday.

Dunn once had two captains on the police force. Maj. Denning was in charge of administration, while Ronnie Radcliffe was captain over patrol operations. Mr. Radcliffe was demoted to sergeant last year for discussing the pay raises of department heads. He now works as a crime scene technician in CID. He has also filed a lawsuit against Dunn, requesting reinstatement to his prior position.

Maj. Denning's annual salary increases from \$48,572.16 to \$52,215.08. Capt. Strickland's salary is upped from \$40,922.88 to \$45,015.17. "There is no change in duties, just a higher rank," Dunn Police Chief Tim Benware said. "These appointments have been under discussion for a while, and were part of the new budget request."

#### Maj. Denning

Morry Denning, 48, is a lifetime resident of Dunn. The son of a lawman, he began his career with the police department as an auxiliary officer in 1980 while working at the N.C. Department of Corrections. He joined the force full-time as an officer in the patrol division in September of 1981. He has worked his entire career in the patrol division, and was promoted to a sergeant in 1984, then a lieutenant in 1993. He became a captain on the force in July 1999.

Chief Benware said the appointment to major makes sense based on the department makeup and employer performance. "Being major only makes him (Maj. Denning) second in command," he said. "With the command structure we have in the department, it is appropriate to have one. My person for second command was the logical choice."

Chief Benware said Maj. Denning has proven himself. "Part of this appointment was based on tasks that had been assigned and carried out successfully. Morry has shown a proven ability to carry those tasks out. I have confidence in him to do the job, and there is a willingness by that individual to do the job," Chief Benware said.

Maj. Denning said he enjoys serving the Dunn community. "I always enjoy what I do and have a special interest in the people of Dunn. I always have and always will," he said. "It makes you feel good about helping people, and I feel like I am investing in the community."

Maj. Denning is the son of Peggy Denning of Dunn and the late Shamrock Denning. He and his wife Jonnie have two children, Tara Denning and Meagan D. West, and a grandson, Zachary.

#### Capt. Strickland

Capt. Strickland, 47, joined the Dunn Police force in 1986 as a patrol officer. He was promoted to sergeant in May 1995, then lieutenant in 1998 in the patrol division. In 1999, he transferred to CID.

"His duties have not changed," Chief Benware said. "The chain of command was based on seniority, and so everyone basically knows who is second and third in command."

Capt. Strickland said he is encouraged by Chief Benware's confidence in him. "I am excited and looking forward to my duties as captain," he said. "This is just a continuation of a 19- to 20-year career dedicated to the citizens of Dunn."

Capt. Strickland and his wife Daomi have a son Tony, daughter Paige, and he has a stepdaughter Anna. He is the son of Thelma Strickland of Dunn and the late Reece Strickland.

Children of BENJAMIN DENNING and JONNIE EMORY are:

- i. SHAM MEGAN<sup>9</sup> DENNING, m. TERRY WAYNE WEST, 05 Mar 2005, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for SHAM MEGAN DENNING:

Dunn Daily Record

04/20/2005

Denning, West Exchange Vows At Hood Memorial

Sham Megan Denning and Terry Wayne West were united in marriage March 5 at 4 p.m., at Hood Memorial Christian Church. The Rev. Wiley C. West Jr., brother of the groom, officiated the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Morrison Denning. She is the granddaughter of Peggy Denning of Dunn and the late Shamrock Denning, Barbara Emory of Cowpens, S.C., and the late Robert Emory. She will graduate in December from Fayetteville State University with a bachelor's degree in elementary education and sociology.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Calvin West Sr. He is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. West and the late Mr. and Mrs. John Gregory. He is employed as a police officer by the Smithfield Police Department.

The bride was given in marriage by her parents.

Attendants

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Jenna Whittington of Dunn. Bridesmaids were Tara Denning, sister of the bride, Ashley McLeod, Margaret Titchener, Hilliary Godwin, Paula West, sister-in-law of the groom, Amanda Stephens, Megan Lockamy and Lindsey Brown.

Honorary bridesmaids were Sarah Hockaday, Joie Lubbers, Amanda Coy, Janine Sommer, Megan Ledford, Toni Callaghan, Kim Cox, Brooke Raynor,

Holly Allen and Sylvia Threadgill, cousin of the bride. Miniature bride was Hannah Norton, cousin of the bride. Flower girl was Madeline Norton, cousin of the bride.

Serving the groom as best man was his father, Wiley West Sr. Groomsmen were Pat Cashwell, Jody Penny, Ben Penny, Gary Threadgill, uncle of the bride, Billy Threadgill, cousin of the bride, Colby Miller, nephew of the groom and Chris Norton, cousin of the bride. Junior groomsman was Claude Harris Pope. Miniature groom was Patrick Tilghman Pope Jr. Ring bearer was Landon West, nephew of the groom.

The wedding was directed by Pat Coats and Kathy Ledford. Presiding at the register were Michelle Ennis and Sara Norton. Wedding music was provided by soloist Nancy Jackson and organist Elaine Butler. Following a wedding trip to Florida, the couple will reside in Dunn.

### Reception

A reception and dance was held at the Howard House in Dunn. Greeting guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walt Titchener. Serving cake were Gary and Mardella Threadgill, uncle and aunt of the bride. Pouring punch were Doug and Betty West, cousins of the groom. Also assisting at the reception were Mr. and Mrs. Tim Ledford, Pat Coats and Donna Hockaday.

### Rehearsal Dinner

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the parents of the groom on the eve of the wedding, in the fellowship hall of Hood Memorial Christian Church. A highlight of the evening was a video of the couple's growing up years compiled by the brother of the groom.

### Bridesmaids' Luncheon

A bridesmaids' luncheon was hosted by Paula Pope, Sara Titchener, Kathy Ledford, Donna Hockaday and Pat Coats on Feb. 28 at the Pope home.

### Prenuptial Events

A Trim the Tree Christmas shower was hosted by Paula West and Paula Pope at the West home on Nov. 27.

A miscellaneous shower was held Jan. 29, in the fellowship hall of Hood Memorial Christian Church, hosted by Emily Barefoot, Shirley Lee, Donna Hockaday, Paula Pope, Pat Coats and Peggy Denning.

On Jan. 30, a miscellaneous shower was hosted by Paula West, Sandra West and Betty West in the fellowship hall of Antioch Free Will Baptist Church.

A lingerie shower was held Feb. 26 at the home of Ashley Whittington, hosted

by Jenna Whittington, Sarah Hockaday and Amanda Stephens.

Marriage Notes for SHAM DENNING and TERRY WEST:  
Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 20050062  
Date Filed: 02/21/2005 12:00:00 AM  
Groom: WEST, TERRY WAYNE  
Bride: DENNING, SHAM MEGAN  
Maiden Surname:  
Date of Marriage: 03/05/2005  
Volume: 0  
Page: 0

More About TERRY WEST and SHAM DENNING:  
Marriage: 05 Mar 2005, Harnett County, North Carolina

145. ii. TARA DENNING.

**139.** JERRY FLEMING<sup>8</sup> PEEDE (*CATHERINE<sup>7</sup> UPCHURCH, ALPHA<sup>6</sup> STEPHENSON, EFFIE CELIA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, RICHARD BRYANT<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 31 Oct 1944 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 11 Apr 2005 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married ?.

Notes for JERRY FLEMING PEEDE:  
Dunn Daily Record  
4/12/2005

Jerry Fleming Peede, 60, of 249 W. Stewart St., Coats, died Monday at his home. He was born Oct. 31, 1944, in Harnett County to the late Fleming and Catherine Upchurch Peede. He retired as a machinist at Morganite and served in the National Guard.

Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Wednesday at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats by the Rev. Ronnie Byrd, Mr. Peede's brother-in-law. Burial will follow at Lakeside Memorial Gardens in Angier.

Survivors include daughters, Andrea P. Bartholomew and husband Jason of Raleigh, and Crystal Peede of Coats; a sister, Cathy P. Byrd and husband Ronnie of Coats; brothers, Michael Peede and wife Kathy, Tim Peede and wife Kathy, all of Coats; and nine nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats.

More About JERRY FLEMING PEEDE:

Burial: 13 Apr 2005, Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Harnett County, North Carolina

Military service: National Guard

Occupation: Machinist

Children of JERRY PEEDE and ? are:

- i. ANDREA<sup>9</sup> PEEDE, m. JASON BARTHOLOMEW.
- ii. CRYSTAL PEEDE.

**140.** RICKY ARDEN<sup>8</sup> KEELING (*LINDA LEE<sup>7</sup> STEPHENSON, LEON<sup>6</sup> DENNING, MEDDIE MELINDA<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1956. He married (1) JENNIFER STARR JONES. He married (2) KIMBERLY LYNN BENTON 28 May 1988 in Columbus County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for RICKY KEELING and KIMBERLY BENTON:  
North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2004

Name: Ricky Arden Keeling

Gender: Male

Birth Date: abt 1956

Age: 32

Race: White

Spouse: Kimberly Lynn Benton

Spouse Gender: Female

Spouse Age: 27

Spouse Race: White

Marriage Date: 28 May 1988

Marriage County: Columbus

Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About RICKY KEELING and KIMBERLY BENTON:

Marriage: 28 May 1988, Columbus County, North Carolina

Child of RICKY KEELING and JENNIFER JONES is:

- i. JOSHUA ENOCH<sup>9</sup> KEELING, b. 10 Jun 1980, Harnett County, North Carolina;  
d. 15 Feb 1997, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for JOSHUA ENOCH KEELING:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Joshua Enoch Keeling

Date of Birth: 10 Jun 1980

Gender: Male

Birth County: Harnett

Parent1 Name: Ricky Arden Keeling  
Parent2 Name: Jennifer Starr Jones  
Roll Number: B\_C048\_66004

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-2004

Name: Joshua Enoch Keeling  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Hispanic Origin: Non-Hispanic  
Marital Status: Never Married (Single)  
Social Security Number:  
Father's Last Name: Keeling  
Age: 16 Years  
Date of Birth: 10 Jun 1980  
Birth County: Wake  
Birth State: North Carolina  
Residence County: Wake  
Residence State: North Carolina  
Residence Zip Code: 27592  
Education: 9th grade  
Date of Death: 15 Feb 1997  
Death City: Raleigh  
Death County: Wake  
Death State: North Carolina  
Work Injury: Injury did not occur at work  
Cause of Death: Fracture of humerus: Upper end, closed  
Other Cause of Death: Injury to other and unspecified intrathoracic organs  
Autopsy: Autopsy Not Performed  
Autopsy Findings: Autopsy findings were not considered in determining cause of death  
institution: Hospital ER/Outpatient  
Hospital Name: WAKE COUNTY MED CTR  
Attendant: Medical Examiner  
Burial Location: Burial in-state  
Recorded date: 17 Feb 1997  
Source Vendor: North Carolina State Center for Health Statistics

**141.** EDSEL TY<sup>8</sup> LANGDON (*VERNON EDSEL*<sup>7</sup>, *MARY REBON*<sup>6</sup> *HARGIS*, *MARY EDITH*<sup>5</sup> *GODWIN*, *HAYWOOD W.*<sup>4</sup>, *PETER*<sup>3</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>2</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 06 Jun 1965 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 20 May 2006 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. He married ROBIN ?.

Notes for EDSEL TY LANGDON:  
North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Edsel Ty Langdon  
Date of Birth: 6 Jun 1965  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Birth County: Johnston  
Parent1 Name: Orpha Belinda Byrd  
Parent2 Name: Vernon Edsel  
Roll Number: B\_C056\_66002  
Volume: 78  
Page: 475

#### Social Security Death Index

Name: Edsel T. Langdon  
SSN:  
Born: 6 Jun 1965  
Died: 20 May 2006  
State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (1971)

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
May 22, 2006

RALEIGH -- Edsel Ty Langdon, 40, of 9409 Sauls Road, died Saturday at Wake Medical Center. He is the son of Vernon Edsel Langdon and Orpha B. Langdon, and was a graduate of Garner High School and Wake Community College. The funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, May 23, 2006 at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church on Old Fair Ground Road in Johnston County. Interment will follow at the church cemetery.

Surviving in addition to his parents are daughters, Brooke Langdon age 12, and Blaire Langdon age 10, and their mother, Robin; sister, Debora Langdon Mann and husband, Ray; nephew, Kevin Mann and wife, Brandy; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Rebon Langdon; a very special friend, Karen Solitro, who helped with his care during his illness, and several wonderful aunts, uncles, cousins and beloved friends who loved Ty very much.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ila Jackson Stephenson; and paternal grandfather, M.V. Langdon.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Monday at Bryan-Lee Funeral Home, 1200 Benson Road, Garner. The family wishes to express their appreciation to Dr. Julie Taub and the staff of Wake Medical Center on 5C24 for their loving and compassionate care during this time. In lieu of flowers, please send contributions to the Brooke and Blaire Langdon Educational Fund established at any State Employees Credit Unions. Condolences may be sent to the family at: [www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com](http://www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com).

More About EDSSEL TY LANGDON:

Burial: 23 May 2006, Pleasant Grove Baptist Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina



Children of EDBEL LANGDON and ROBIN ? are:

- i. BROOKE<sup>9</sup> LANGDON.
- ii. BLAIRE LANGDON.

**142.** DEBORA<sup>8</sup> LANGDON (*VERNON EDBEL<sup>7</sup>, MARY REBON<sup>6</sup> HARGIS, MARY EDITH<sup>5</sup> GODWIN, HAYWOOD W.<sup>4</sup>, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) She married RAY MANN.

Child of DEBORA LANGDON and RAY MANN is:

- i. KEVIN<sup>9</sup> MANN, m. BRANDY ?.

**143.** MICHAEL KENT<sup>8</sup> SMITH (*THENA ETTA<sup>7</sup> IVEY, NETTIE ANN<sup>6</sup> PARRISH, PETER LAWRENCE "LONNIE"<sup>5</sup>, GILLIE A.<sup>4</sup> GODWIN, PETER<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 05 Feb 1960. He married DENISE WATKINS.

Children of MICHAEL SMITH and DENISE WATKINS are:

- i. RENE MICHELLE<sup>9</sup> SMITH, b. 03 May 1989.
- ii. CAROLINE LORRAINE SMITH, b. 12 Dec 1991.
- iii. DEANNA ELIZABETH SMITH, b. 30 May 1995.

**144.** SHEREE<sup>8</sup> HEDRICK (*HILDA RUTH<sup>7</sup> GRIMES, FLORENCE ELIZABETH<sup>6</sup> GODWIN, AGGIE J.<sup>5</sup>, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN<sup>4</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup>, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*) She married ? GARDNER.

Child of SHEREE HEDRICK and ? GARDNER is:

- i. EMMA RUTH<sup>9</sup> GARDNER.

#### *Generation No. 9*

**145.** TARA<sup>9</sup> DENNING (*BENJAMIN MORRISON "MORRY"<sup>8</sup>, GRANVILLE MORRISON "SHAMROCK"<sup>7</sup>, ANNIE LULA<sup>6</sup> SURLS, ALBERT FOREST<sup>5</sup>, MARY ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> JOHNSON, ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> GODWIN, JAMES<sup>2</sup>, JAMES<sup>1</sup>*)

Child of TARA DENNING is:

- i. ZACHARY MORRISON<sup>10</sup> DENNING, b. 13 May 2005.

Notes for ZACHARY MORRISON DENNING:

Dunn Daily Record

It's A Boy!

Tara Denning of Dunn announces the birth of her son, Zachary Morrison Denning, May 13 at Cape Fear Valley Medical Center. He weighed 6.3 pounds and was 18.5 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Morry and Jonnie Denning of Dunn.

Great-grandparents are Peggy Denning of Dunn and the late Shamrock Denning, and Barbara Emory of Cowpens, S.C., and the late Bob Emory.