Descendants of John Austin Ennis

Generation No. 1

1. JOHN AUSTIN¹ ENNIS was born 17 Sep 1833, and died 18 Sep 1899. He married WINNEFORD?. She was born 05 Jan 1836, and died 16 Mar 1895.

More About JOHN AUSTIN ENNIS:

Burial: Ennis Family Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

More About WINNEFORD ?:

Burial: Ennis Family Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

Children of JOHN ENNIS and WINNEFORD? are:

i. IANNA AUSTIN² ENNIS, b. 28 Jul 1861, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 05 Dec 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About IANNA AUSTIN ENNIS:

Burial: 06 Dec 1948, Ennis Family Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

- 2. ii. JOHN HAYWOOD ENNIS, b. 21 Jul 1872, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 07 Dec 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 3. iii. JAMES ENNIS, b. 15 Apr 1875, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 19 Sep 1949, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 4. iv. RODOLPHUS ENNIS, b. Abt. 1878; d. Mar 1947.
- 5. v. WALTER ENNIS, b. 25 Oct 1882, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 05 Jul 1932, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Generation No. 2

2. JOHN HAYWOOD² ENNIS (*JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 21 Jul 1872 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 07 Dec 1948 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married NANCY EMILY STEWART 04 Mar 1895 in Harnett County, North Carolina, daughter of NEIL STEWART and MILLIE RYALS. She was born 09 Apr 1875 in North Carolina, and died 06 Oct 1959 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About JOHN HAYWOOD ENNIS:

Burial: 08 Dec 1948, Greenwood Cemetery, Dunn, North Carolina

Occupation: Farmer

More About NANCY EMILY STEWART:

Burial: 08 Oct 1959, Greenwood Cemetery, Dunn, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Hypertensive Cardio Vascular Disease

Marriage Notes for JOHN ENNIS and NANCY STEWART:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 1895021

Date Filed: 03/04/1895 12:00:00 AM

Groom: ENNIS, JOHN H Bride: STEWART, NANCY E Maiden Surname: STEWART Date of Marriage: 03/04/1895

Volume: 1895

Page: 21

More About JOHN ENNIS and NANCY STEWART:

Marriage: 04 Mar 1895, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of JOHN ENNIS and NANCY STEWART are:

i. ZALMON ALEXANDER³ ENNIS, b. 06 May 1900, North Carolina; d. 28 Dec 1971, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About ZALMON ALEXANDER ENNIS:

Burial: 30 Dec 1971, Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease

Occupation: Salesman

- 6. ii. HATTIE LOU ENNIS, b. 06 Jul 1908, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 04 Jan 2006, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 7. iii. JOHN GARLAND ENNIS, b. 18 Jan 1911, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 10 Dec 1990, Harnett County, North Carolina.
 - iv. RUBY MARIE ENNIS, b. 21 Aug 1913, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? MAYNARD.
 - v. NAN ENNIS, m. ? TEW.
- **3.** JAMES² ENNIS (*JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 15 Apr 1875 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 19 Sep 1949 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married MARTHA IDA STRICKLAND, daughter of WILLIAM STRICKLAND and SARAH GEORGE. She was born 20 Jun 1878 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 24 Oct 1961 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About JAMES ENNIS:

Burial: 21 Sep 1949, Ennis Family Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

Occupation: Farmer

More About MARTHA IDA STRICKLAND:

Burial: 26 Oct 1961, Ennis Family Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

Children of JAMES ENNIS and MARTHA STRICKLAND are:

8. i. MARTIN EUMINESE³ ENNIS, b. 07 Feb 1898, North Carolina; d. 14 Feb 1973, Harnett County, North Carolina.

ii. EVENEESE ENNIS, b. 08 Oct 1899; d. 04 Mar 1900.

More About EVENEESE ENNIS:

Burial: Ennis Family Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

- 9. iii. ETHEL ANN ENNIS, b. 24 Dec 1903, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 02 Sep 1996, Harnett County, North Carolina.
 - iv. LOIS ENNIS, m. ? JOHNSON.
- **4.** RODOLPHUS² ENNIS (*JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born Abt. 1878, and died Mar 1947. He married ROWENA ENNIS 09 Aug 1903 in Harnett County, North Carolina, daughter of HINTON ENNIS and MARY NEIGHBORS. She was born 27 May 1882 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 22 Apr 1970 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for RODOLPHUS ENNIS:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 16929

Name (Age): ENNIS, Rodolphus D. (69)

Obit. Pub. Date: 04/01/1947

Other Pub. Info.: s/o John A/Winnie Ennis -- Fam. Cem., Benson

More About RODOLPHUS ENNIS:

Burial: Ennis Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

More About ROWENA ENNIS:

Burial: 24 Apr 1970, Ennis Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Coronary Occlusion

Marriage Notes for RODOLPHUS ENNIS and ROWENA ENNIS:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 1903050

Date Filed: 08/08/903 12:00:00 AM Groom: ENNIS, RODOLPHUS

Bride: ENNIS, ROWENA Maiden Surname: ENNIS Date of Marriage: 08/09/1903

Volume: 1903

Page: 50

More About RODOLPHUS ENNIS and ROWENA ENNIS:

Marriage: 09 Aug 1903, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of RODOLPHUS ENNIS and ROWENA ENNIS are:

10. i. PRESTON³ ENNIS, b. 23 Jun 1904, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 08 Jun

- 1982, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 11. ii. JOHN ALVIS ENNIS, SR., b. 10 Sep 1905, North Carolina; d. 06 Feb 1966, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 12. iii. VERNIE MAE ENNIS, b. 22 Oct 1908, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 09 Dec 1986, Harnett County, North Carolina.
 - iv. ALMA JANE ENNIS, b. 29 Sep 1910, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 16 Nov 1984, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. CAROL WESLEY WOOD; b. 26 Feb 1908, Johnston County, North Carolina; d. 23 Sep 1993, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About ALMA JANE ENNIS:

Burial: 18 Nov 1984, Devotional Gardens, Dunn, Harnett County, North

Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardiac Standstill

More About CAROL WESLEY WOOD:

Burial: Devotional Gardens, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardiopulmonary Arrest Occupation: Grocery Store Merchant

- 13. v. DELMER ENNIS, b. 06 Jul 1912, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 02 Oct 1959, Harnett County, North Carolina.
 - vi. HUBERT ENNIS, b. 12 Aug 1914, Harnett County, North Carolina.
 - vii. JAMES HOWARD ENNIS, b. 21 Oct 1916, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 14. viii. LENA ENNIS, b. 30 Mar 1918, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 21 Oct 2006, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 15. ix. LUNETTE ENNIS, b. 13 May 1920, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 16. x. DAVID BENTON ENNIS, b. 28 Dec 1921, North Carolina; d. 27 Mar 1977, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- **5.** WALTER² ENNIS (*JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 25 Oct 1882 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 05 Jul 1932 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married STELLA LOUELLA SORRELL, daughter of RICHARD SORRELL and MARY HODGES. She was born 27 Feb 1882 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 04 Mar 1978 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About WALTER ENNIS:

Burial: 05 Jul 1932, Red Hill Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North

Carolina

Occupation: Farmer

More About STELLA LOUELLA SORRELL:

Burial: 06 Mar 1978, Red Hill Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of WALTER ENNIS and STELLA SORRELL are:

i. ILA³ ENNIS, b. 09 Nov 1904, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 04 Feb 1988, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. HAYWOOD ELBERT CREECH; b. 11 Aug 1903, Selma, North Carolina; d. 05 May 1988, Harnett County, North

Carolina.

More About ILA ENNIS:

Burial: Red Hill Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery

More About HAYWOOD ELBERT CREECH:

Burial: Red Hill Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery

Occupation: Civil Service

- 17. ii. JOHN BERNARD ENNIS, b. 05 Jul 1906, North Carolina; d. 13 Mar 1974, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 18. iii. ROBERT OTIS ENNIS, b. 10 Jun 1909, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 02 Jan 2006, Harnett County, North Carolina.
 - iv. GERTIE ENNIS, b. 16 Mar 1911, North Carolina; d. 12 Jul 1955, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. WOODROW W. TURLINGTON.

More About GERTIE ENNIS:

Burial: 13 Jul 1955, Red Hill Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery

v. EARL JUDD ENNIS, b. 18 Mar 1913, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 14 May 1914, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About EARL JUDD ENNIS:

Burial: 15 May 1914, Red Hill Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery Cause of Death: Pneumonia

vi. IRENE ENNIS, b. 18 Mar 1913; d. 29 Mar 1934.

More About IRENE ENNIS:

Burial: Red Hill Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery

- vii. HUNTER ENNIS.
- viii. HERBERT WALLS ENNIS, b. 14 Apr 1915, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 06 Mar 1920, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About HERBERT WALLS ENNIS:

Burial: 07 Mar 1920, Red Hill Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery Cause of Death: Pneumonia/Influenza

- ix. ELVA ENNIS, b. 17 Jan 1917, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? MOFFITT.
- x. LILLIAN ENNIS, b. 28 Sep 1918, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- xi. WALTER DALTON ENNIS, b. 25 Oct 1922, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 28 Jun 1950.

More About Walter Dalton Ennis:

Burial: Red Hill Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery

Generation No. 3

6. HATTIE LOU³ ENNIS (*JOHN HAYWOOD*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 06 Jul 1908 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 04 Jan 2006 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married WILLIAM ISLEY BARNES. He was born 18 Jun 1912, and died 06 Dec 1965.

Notes for HATTIE LOU ENNIS: Dunn Daily Record 01/06/2006

Hattie Ennis Barnes, 97, of Lillington died Wednesday, Jan. 4, 2006, at her home. She was born in Coats to the late John Haywood and Nancy Emily Stewart Ennis on July 6, 1908. She was preceded in death by her husband, William Isley Barnes in 1965; and brothers, Zalmon Ennis and John G. Ennis.

She was a public health nurse for Harnett County for 25 years and a member of Lillington Presbyterian Church for 56 years. A dedicated Circle Member and Sunday school teacher, Mrs. Barnes was presented with an honorary lifetime membership by the women of the church. She was also an active long-standing member of the Harnett County Democratic Party as well as a charter member of the Lillington Business and Professional Women's Club.

A graveside service will be held 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Westview Memorial Gardens in Lillington. A funeral service will follow at 2:30 p.m. at Lillington Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Dr. William Goodnight. The family will receive friends at her home and after the service in the church fellowship hall.

Survivors include a daughter, Carma Lou Baggett of Lillington; sisters, Nan Tew of Godwin and Ruby Maynard of Raleigh; a sister-in-law, Marjorie Ennis of Rose Hill; grandsons, Chris Baggett and wife Karen of Morehead City, Robert Baggett and wife Kristy of Johnson City, Tenn., and Neal Baggett of Bozeman, Mont.; great-grandchildren, C.J. Baggett, Brad Baggett, Isley Baggett, Zeb Baggett and Isabelle Baggett; and many nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Lillington Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 345, Lillington, NC 27546. A service of O'Quinn-Peebles Funeral Home.

More About HATTIE LOU ENNIS:

Burial: 07 Jan 2006, Westview Memorial Gardens, Lillington, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Brain Mass Occupation: Public Health Nurse

More About WILLIAM ISLEY BARNES:

Burial: Westview Memorial Gardens, Lillington, North Carolina

Military service: United States Army WWII

Child of HATTIE ENNIS and WILLIAM BARNES is:

i. CARMA LOU⁴ BARNES, b. 26 Mar 1947, Moore County, North Carolina; m. ? BAGGETT.

7. JOHN GARLAND³ ENNIS (*JOHN HAYWOOD*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 18 Jan 1911 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 10 Dec 1990 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married MARJORIE MCDONALD.

More About JOHN GARLAND ENNIS:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetery, Dunn, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Pneumonia Occupation: Auto Sales

Child of JOHN ENNIS and MARJORIE MCDONALD is:

i. JOHN GARLAND⁴ ENNIS, JR., b. 18 Aug 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 14 Aug 1975, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About JOHN GARLAND ENNIS, JR.:

Burial: 16 Aug 1975, Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Pneumonia

8. MARTIN EUMINESE³ ENNIS (*JAMES*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 07 Feb 1898 in North Carolina, and died 14 Feb 1973 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married MINNIE ELLEN LEE 1917. She was born 08 Oct 1898, and died 30 Apr 1988 in Cumberland County, North Carolina.

More About MARTIN EUMINESE ENNIS:

Burial: 15 Feb 1973, Devotional Gardens, Dunn, North Carolina

Occupation: Farmer/Merchant

Notes for MINNIE ELLEN LEE:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Minnie Lee Ennis Death Date: 30 Apr 1988 Death County: Cumberland Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 89

Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 8 Oct 1898

Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Harnett Residence State: North Carolina

Father: Lee Gender: Female Race: White

Marital Status: Widowed Social Security Number:

Autopsy: No

Institution: Nursing and Rest Homes

Attendant: Physician

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

More About MINNIE ELLEN LEE:

Burial: Devotional Gardens, Dunn, North Carolina

More About MARTIN ENNIS and MINNIE LEE:

Marriage: 1917

Children of MARTIN ENNIS and MINNIE LEE are:

- 19. i. HELEN LEE⁴ ENNIS, b. 25 Oct 1918, North Carolina; d. 21 Aug 1977, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 20. ii. EDNA LUCILLE ENNIS, b. 25 Mar 1920, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 01 Jul 2001, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 21. iii. MARTIN EARL ENNIS, b. 26 Apr 1922, Coats, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- 22. iv. WILLIAM CLYDE ENNIS, b. 08 Aug 1924, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 22 Feb 1996, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
- v. James Warren Ennis, b. 04 Dec 1926, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 09 Aug 1993, Wilmington, New Hanover County, North Carolina.
 - vi. LOUIS SHELTON ENNIS, b. 17 Nov 1930, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. WINONA MERRITHEW SMITH, 04 Apr 1980, Durham, North Carolina; b. Abt. 1935.

Marriage Notes for LOUIS ENNIS and WINONA SMITH: North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Louis Shelton Ennis

Gender: Male

Estimated Birth Year: 1931

Age: 49 Race: White

Spouse: Winona Merrithew Smith

Spouse Gender: Female

Spouse Estimated Birth Year: 1935

Spouse Age: 45 Spouse Race: White

Marriage Date: 4 Apr 1980 Marriage County: Durham Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About LOUIS ENNIS and WINONA SMITH: Marriage: 04 Apr 1980, Durham, North Carolina

- vii. CAROLYN SUE ENNIS, b. 09 Dec 1937, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. JIMMY BENNER.
- 24. viii. CHARLES RAVON ENNIS, b. 04 Nov 1928, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 19 Jul 2000, Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.
- **9.** ETHEL ANN³ ENNIS (*JAMES*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 24 Dec 1903 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 02 Sep 1996 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married ANDREW JACKSON COOPER. He was born 07 May 1904, and died 22 Apr 1961.

Notes for ETHEL ANN ENNIS: Fayetteville Observer, The (NC) September 3, 1996

COATS -- Mrs. Ethel Ennis Cooper, 92, of Route 2 died Monday in Good Hope Hospital in Erwin. She had been a homemaker and a member of Red Hill Pentecostal Free Will Baptist Church. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday in Rose & Graham Funeral Home chapel in Benson by the Revs. Billy Smith and Michael Boyette. Burial will follow in the Ennis family cemetery.

Mrs. Cooper is survived by two daughters, Barbara Allen of Morganton and Betty Hudson of Coats; a son, Thomas E. Cooper of Coats; a sister, Lois E. Johnson of Coats; six grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

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

More About ETHEL ANN ENNIS:

Burial: 04 Sep 1996, Ennis Family Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Respiratory Arrest

More About ANDREW JACKSON COOPER:

Burial: Ennis Family Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

Children of ETHEL ENNIS and ANDREW COOPER are:

- i. THOMAS ENNIS⁴ COOPER, b. 16 Jun 1929, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. PHYLLIS WINIFRED COOPER, b. 12 Sep 1931, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 27 Mar 1992, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About PHYLLIS WINIFRED COOPER:

Burial: Ennis Family Cemetery, Coats, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardiac/Respiratory Arrest Occupation: Machine Operator/Electronics

- iii. BARBARA ANN COOPER, b. 23 Mar 1933, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? ALLEN.
- iv. BETTY NELL COOPER, b. 01 Jul 1936, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? HUDSON.

10. PRESTON³ ENNIS (*RODOLPHUS*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 23 Jun 1904 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 08 Jun 1982 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married RENA EMALINE ANDREWS, daughter of W. ANDREWS and NANCY SUGGS. She was born 23 Mar 1913 in Wake County, North Carolina, and died 29 May 2006 in Garner, Wake County, North Carolina.

More About PRESTON ENNIS:

Burial: 10 Jun 1982, Ennis Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardiac Arrest

Occupation: United States Post Office

Notes for RENA EMALINE ANDREWS: Dunn Daily Record 05/31/2006

Rena Andrews Ennis, 93, formerly of Coats, died Monday, May 29, 2006, at The Laurels of Forest Glenn in Garner. She was born March 23, 1913, in Wake County to the late W.M. and Nancy Suggs Andrews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Preston Ennis. Mrs. Ennis was a charter member of St. Barnabas Presbyterian Church in Raleigh. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Thursday at Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel in Benson by Drs. Frank and Elizabeth Day. Burial will follow at Ennis Family Cemetery.

Survivors include daughters, Dianne Ennis of Raleigh and Judy Ennis Evans of Garner; a son, retired U.S. Army Lt. Col. Baxter Ennis and wife Glenda of Chesapeake, Va.; grandchildren and spouses, Shannon E. and David O'Neal of Raleigh, Jessica Ennis of Raleigh, Joshua and Brooke Ennis of Woodbridge, Va., and Leslie Ennis of Gastonia; great-grandchildren, Wyatt Baxter Ennis and Jacob Carter O'Neal.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson. Flowers are welcome, however, memorials may be made to St. Barnabas Presbyterian Church, 1420 Carolina Pines Ave., Raleigh, NC 27603; or to the American Diabetes Association, 2418 Blue Ridge Road, Suite 206, Raleigh, NC 27607. Condolences may be sent to www.RoseGrahamFuneralServices.com.

More About RENA EMALINE ANDREWS:

Burial: 01 Jun 2006, Ennis Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Children of PRESTON ENNIS and RENA ANDREWS are:

- i. NED BAXTER⁴ ENNIS, b. 13 Dec 1952, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. GLENDA?.
- ii. DIANNE ENNIS.
- iii. JUDY ENNIS, m. ? EVANS.
- **11.** JOHN ALVIS³ ENNIS, SR. (*RODOLPHUS*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 10 Sep 1905 in North Carolina, and died 06 Feb 1966 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married MARY LOUISE BAKER, daughter of JOSEPH BAKER and PEARL DAVIS. She was born 11 Dec 1913 in Newport News, Virginia, and died 09 Jun 2000 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About JOHN ALVIS ENNIS, SR.:

Burial: 08 Feb 1966, Ebenezer Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Acute Coronary Occlusion

Occupation: Farmer

Notes for MARY LOUISE BAKER: Fayetteville Observer, The (NC) June 10, 2000

Ms. Louise Baker Ennis, 86, of Coats died Friday in Britthaven of Dunn. Ms. Ennis worked for the Claims Deputy Unit of the N.C. Employment Security Commission. She was a member of Ebenezer Presbyterian Church where she was an organist for more than 40 years. The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in Ebenezer Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Warren Bock. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Ms. Ennis is survived by a daughter, Linda Kimbrough of Raleigh; two sons, John A. "Johnny" Ennis Jr. and Joseph Ennis, both of Coats; a sister, Eugenia B. Smith of Newport News, Va.; six grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

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

More About MARY LOUISE BAKER:

Burial: 11 Jun 2000, Ebenezer Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Ischemic Cardiomyopathy

Occupation: Secretary

Children of JOHN ENNIS and MARY BAKER are:

- 25. i. JOSEPH BRYAN⁴ ENNIS, b. 24 Feb 1944, Harnett County, North Carolina.
 - ii. LINDA CAROLE ENNIS, b. 21 Sep 1946, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? KIMBROUGH.
- 26. iii. JOHN ALVIS ENNIS, JR..

12. VERNIE MAE³ ENNIS (*RODOLPHUS*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 22 Oct 1908 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 09 Dec 1986 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married WILLIE HUBERT CREECH, son of ROBERT CREECH and MARY BARBOUR. He was born 16 Apr 1900 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 23 Oct 1967 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About VERNIE MAE ENNIS:

Burial: 11 Dec 1986, Ennis Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Probable Sudden Cardiac Arrest

More About WILLIE HUBERT CREECH:

Burial: 25 Oct 1967, Ennis Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Uremia Occupation: Farmer

Children of VERNIE ENNIS and WILLIE CREECH are:

- i. JEANE⁴ CREECH, m. ? WILLIAMS.
- 27. ii. CLARA ERNESTINE CREECH, b. 07 May 1940, Johnston County, North Carolina.
- **13.** DELMER³ ENNIS (*RODOLPHUS*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 06 Jul 1912 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 02 Oct 1959 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married GENEVA STEPHENSON, daughter of CHARLIE STEPHENSON and MYRTLE CAPPS. She was born 16 Dec 1918 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

More About DELMER ENNIS:

Burial: 03 Oct 1959, Ebenezer Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Carcinoma of Gall Bladder

Occupation: Merchant & Farmer

Notes for GENEVA STEPHENSON:

North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Geneva Stephenson Date of Birth: 16 Dec 1918

Gender: Female Race: White

Birth County: Johnston Parent1 Name: Charlie

Parent2 Name: Mytle G Capps Roll Number: B_C056_66001

Volume: 6 Page: 730

Children of DELMER ENNIS and GENEVA STEPHENSON are:

- i. MARJORIE⁴ ENNIS, b. 26 Sep 1939, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. KENNETH DELMER ENNIS, b. 09 Nov 1948.
- **14.** LENA³ ENNIS (*RODOLPHUS*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 30 Mar 1918 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 21 Oct 2006 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married WILLIAM MAYNARD COATS, son of MYATT COATS and MILLIE DIXON. He was born 04 Oct 1916 in North Carolina, and died 27 Nov 1972 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for LENA ENNIS: Dunn Daily Record 10/23/2006

Lena Ennis Coats, 88, formerly of Coats, died Saturday, Oct. 21, 2006, at Brookfield Retirement Center in Lillington. She was born March 30, 1918, in Harnett County to the late

Rodolphus and Roena E. Ennis. She was preceded in death by her husband, William Maynard Coats; sisters, Vernie Creech and Alma Wood; and brothers, Preston Ennis, Alvis Ennis, Delmer Ennis, Hubert Ennis, Howard Ennis and David Ennis. She was a homemaker and a member of Ebenezer Presbyterian Church. Funeral services were held this morning at 11 at Ebenezer Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Joe Hester. Burial followed at the church cemetery.

Survivors include daughters, Sandra C. Byrd of Angier, Brenda C. Byrd of Benson and Sherry C. Kent of Coats; a sister, Lunette E. Coats of Coats; grandchildren, Brian Byrd, Susan Beyer, Andy Byrd, Tammy Autry, Amanda Sanders, Chris West and Jeremy West; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Ebenezer Presbyterian Church Cemetery Fund, c/o Cathy Johnson, P.O. Box 397, Coats, NC 27521. Arrangements by Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson.

More About LENA ENNIS:

Burial: 23 Oct 2006, Ebenezer Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

More About WILLIAM MAYNARD COATS:

Burial: 29 Nov 1972, Ebenezer Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North

Carolina

Occupation: Merchant/Farmer

Children of LENA ENNIS and WILLIAM COATS are:

i. SANDRA⁴ COATS, m. ? BYRD.

ii. Brenda Coats, m. ? Byrd.

iii. SHERRY COATS, m. ? KENT.

15. LUNETTE³ ENNIS (*RODOLPHUS*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 13 May 1920 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married GARLAND ALONZO COATS 25 Dec 1946 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of MYATT COATS and MILLIE DIXON. He was born 24 Apr 1919 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 12 Jan 1991 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for GARLAND ALONZO COATS:

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 10958

Name (Age): COATS, Garland A. (71)

Obit. Pub. Date: 01/15/1991

Other Pub. Info.: b. 4-24-1919 s/o Myatt A/Millie Dixon h/o Lunette Ennis, Ebenezer Presby

Ch. WWII Vet.

Name: GARLAND ALONZO COATS

Age: 71 Years

Death Date: 12 January 1991

Place of Death: Erwin, Harnett, North Carolina

Birth Date: 23 April 1919

Gender: Male Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Autopsy: No

Hospital: General Hospital Bed Code: 20-34 Beds Attendant: Physician Burial: Burial in state

Father: COATS

State of Birth: North Carolina Residence: Harnett, North Carolina

More About GARLAND ALONZO COATS:

Burial: Ebenezer Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Military service: WWII Occupation: Barber

Marriage Notes for LUNETTE ENNIS and GARLAND COATS:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 4600032

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM Groom: COATS, GARLAND ALONZO

Bride: ENNIS, LUNETTE

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 12/25/1946

Volume: 1946

Page: 32

More About GARLAND COATS and LUNETTE ENNIS: Marriage: 25 Dec 1946, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of LUNETTE ENNIS and GARLAND COATS is:

i. RENNY SUE⁴ COATS, b. 23 Apr 1950.

16. DAVID BENTON³ ENNIS (*RODOLPHUS*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 28 Dec 1921 in North Carolina, and died 27 Mar 1977 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married WYNONA LEAH GODWIN.

More About DAVID BENTON ENNIS:

Burial: 28 Mar 1977, Ennis Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardiac Arrest

Occupation: Farmer

Children of DAVID ENNIS and WYNONA GODWIN are:

28. i. DAVID DWIGHT⁴ ENNIS, b. 15 May 1944, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 06 May 2005, Harnett County, North Carolina.

ii. BECKY JANE ENNIS, b. 08 May 1946, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ?

ADAMS.

iii. DAYWOOD RAY ENNIS, b. 21 May 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina; d. 03 Aug 1991, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. REBECCA LOU PAGE, 08 Dec 1969, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 25 Jul 1948, Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About DAYWOOD RAY ENNIS:

Burial: Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Sudden Cardiac Death

Occupation: Auto Parts

Marriage Notes for DAYWOOD ENNIS and REBECCA PAGE: Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6900080

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM Groom: ENNIS, DAYWOOD RAY Bride: PAGE, REBECCA LOU

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 12/08/1969

Volume: 1969

Page: 80

More About DAYWOOD ENNIS and REBECCA PAGE: Marriage: 08 Dec 1969, Harnett County, North Carolina

- iv. DENNIS CARROLL ENNIS, b. 29 Aug 1954, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- **17.** JOHN BERNARD³ ENNIS (*WALTER*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 05 Jul 1906 in North Carolina, and died 13 Mar 1974 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married ETHEL LEE 01 Feb 1936 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She was born 04 Dec 1913 in North Carolina, and died 16 Mar 1979 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for JOHN BERNARD ENNIS:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: John Ennis

Death Date: 13 Mar 1974 Death County: Harnett Death State: North Carolina Date Death Recorded: Mar 1964

Death Age: 67

Birth Date: abt. 1907

Residence County: Harnett

Gender: Male Race: White

Marital Status: Married

Autopsy: No Institution: Home Attendant: Physician

More About JOHN BERNARD ENNIS:

Burial: 15 Mar 1974, Devotional Gardens, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Coronary Occlusion

Occupation: Farmer

Notes for ETHEL LEE:

North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: Ethel Lee Ennis Death Date: 16 Mar 1979 Death City: Raleigh Death County: Wake

Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 65

Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 4 Dec 1913

Birth Location: North Carolina

Residence County: Harnett Residence State: North Carolina

Gender: Female Race: White

Marital Status: Widowed

Autopsy: No

Institution: General Hospital

Attendant: Physician

More About ETHEL LEE:

Burial: Devotional Gardens, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

Marriage Notes for JOHN ENNIS and ETHEL LEE:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 3600071

Date Filed: 02/01/1936 12:00:00 AM

Groom: ENNIS, J B Bride: LEE, ETHEL Maiden Surname: LEE

Date of Marriage: 02/01/1936

Volume: 1936

Page: 71

More About JOHN ENNIS and ETHEL LEE:

Marriage: 01 Feb 1936, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of JOHN ENNIS and ETHEL LEE are:

29. i. JOHN BRUCE⁴ ENNIS, b. 11 Sep 1936, Wake County, North Carolina; d. 15 Mar 1991, Harnett County, North Carolina.

- 30. ii. DONALD EDWIN ENNIS, b. 29 Aug 1938, Harnett County, North Carolina.
 - iii. REBECCA ANNE ENNIS, b. 28 Dec 1939, Harnett County, North Carolina.

18. ROBERT OTIS³ ENNIS (*WALTER*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 10 Jun 1909 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 02 Jan 2006 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married HEPSIE PEARL FAIRCLOTH, daughter of MICAGER FAIRCLOTH and IDA JACKSON. She was born 16 Dec 1910 in Sampson County, North Carolina, and died 21 Oct 2000 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for ROBERT OTIS ENNIS: Dunn Daily Record 01/04/2006

Robert "Bill" Otis Ennis, 96, of Dunn died Monday evening, Jan. 2, 2006, at Harnett Manor. The Harnett County native was the son of the late Walter and Stella S. Ennis. He was preceded in death by his wife, Pearl F. Ennis. Mr. Ennis was a farmer until 1941 when he went to work for Coca-Cola and was there for more than 32 years. He was a member of Palmyra Masonic Lodge for many years and was an active member of First Baptist Church. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Thursday at First Baptist Church by Dr. Len Keever. Burial will follow at Greenwood Cemetery.

Survivors include daughters, Jean Kirk and husband Frank of Winston-Salem, Sue Kearney and husband Tom of Raleigh; a brother, Hunter Ennis of Rockingham; a sister, Elva Moffitt of Shallotte; grandsons, Bill, Bert and Brad Kirk; and great-grandchildren, Taylor, Jonathan, Emily, Tyler and Matthew Dalton Kirk.

The family will receive friends tonight from 6 to 8 at Skinner & Smith Funeral Home. The family asks that in lieu of flowers, memorials be made to First Baptist Church, 309 W. Broad St., Dunn, NC 28334. Condolences may be sent to www.skinnerandsmith.com.

More About ROBERT OTIS ENNIS:

Burial: 05 Jan 2006, Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Congestive Heart Failure

Occupation: Coca-Cola Sales Rep.

Notes for HEPSIE PEARL FAIRCLOTH: News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC) October 23, 2000 Mrs. Pearl Faircloth Ennis, 89, of Dunn died Saturday in Betsy Johnson Regional Hospital. The Sampson county native was a daughter of the late Micager and Ida J. Faircloth. She was an employee for Louis Baer Dept. Store for over 50 years. Funeral services will be conducted 11 a.m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church by Dr. Karl Minor. Burial will follow in Greenwood Cemetery.

She is survived by her husband Robert O. "Bill" Ennis; two daughters, Jean Kirk of Winston Salem, Sue Kearney of Raleigh; two brothers, Wiley J. Faircloth of Myrtle Beach, M.B. Faircloth, Jr. of Jacksonville, Fla.; three grandchildren, Bill Kirk, Robert Kirk and Bradley Kirk; and four great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends 7 until 9 p.m. Monday at Skinner Funeral Home of Dunn.

More About HEPSIE PEARL FAIRCLOTH:

Burial: 24 Oct 2000, Greenwood Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Urosepsis

Occupation: Department Store Sales Associate

Children of ROBERT ENNIS and HEPSIE FAIRCLOTH are:

- i. ELLEN JEAN⁴ ENNIS, b. 27 May 1938, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. FRANK KIRK.
- ii. SUE ENNIS, m. TOM KEARNEY.

Generation No. 4

19. HELEN LEE⁴ ENNIS (*Martin Euminese*³, *James*², *John Austin*¹) was born 25 Oct 1918 in North Carolina, and died 21 Aug 1977 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married Carlos Benjamin Dixon 02 Jan 1937 in Harnett County, North Carolina, son of John Dixon and Mary Johnson. He was born 28 Dec 1914 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 02 Dec 1999 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

More About HELEN LEE ENNIS:

Burial: 23 Aug 1977, Devotional Gardens, Dunn, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Respiratory Arrest

Notes for CARLOS BENJAMIN DIXON:

Social Security Death Index

Name: CARLOS B DIXON

Last Residence: 27521 Coats, Harnett, NC

Born: 28 Dec 1914 Died: 2 Sep 1999

State (Year) SSN issued: NC (Before 1951)

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC) September 3, 1999 COATS -- Carlos Benjamin Dixon, 84, of 194 E. Main St. died Thursday in his home. The funeral will be conducted at 3 p.m. Saturday in Coats Baptist Church by the Revs. Ronnie Byrd, Jesse Mooney and John Stephenson. Burial will be in Devotional Gardens in Dunn.

Mr. Dixon is survived by two daughters, Gwen Stewart of Graham and Betty E. Dixon of Coats; a son, Dr. R. Harold Dixon of Coats; a sister, Naomi Lee of Coats; and seven grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Coats Funeral Home & Crematory. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Coats Baptist Church; Hospice of Harnett County; or to the charity of one's choice.

More About CARLOS BENJAMIN DIXON:

Burial: 04 Dec 1999, Devotional Gardens, Dunn, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Merkel Cell Tumor Metastatic to Liver

Marriage Notes for HELEN ENNIS and CARLOS DIXON:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 3700069

Date Filed: 01/02/1937 12:00:00 AM

Groom: DIXON, CARLOS Bride: ENNIS, HELEN Maiden Surname: ENNIS Date of Marriage: 01/02/1937

Volume: 1937

Page: 69

More About CARLOS DIXON and HELEN ENNIS:

Marriage: 02 Jan 1937, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of HELEN ENNIS and CARLOS DIXON are:

- i. GWENDOLYN FAYE⁵ DIXON, b. 27 Aug 1939, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. ? STEWART.
- ii. ROBERT HAROLD DIXON, b. 26 Apr 1941, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- iii. BETTY ELLEN DIXON, b. 30 Nov 1951.

20. EDNA LUCILLE⁴ ENNIS (*Martin Euminese*³, *James*², *John Austin*¹) was born 25 Mar 1920 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 01 Jul 2001 in Harnett County, North Carolina. She married CHESTER LEE ENNIS, son of WILLIAM ENNIS and NANCY TURLINGTON. He was born 22 Jul 1914 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 05 Nov 1993 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for EDNA LUCILLE ENNIS:

Social Security Death Index

Name: Edna L. Ennis

SSN:

Last Residence: 27521 Coats, Harnett, North Carolina, United States

Born: 25 Mar 1920 Died: 1 Jul 2001

State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (1963)

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC) July 2, 2001

COATS - Mrs. Edna E. Ennis, age 81, of 227 W. Stewart St. died Sunday at Britthaven of Harnett. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at the Coats Baptist Church. Officiating will be the Rev. Jesse Mooney and Dr. Jim Cochran. Burial will follow in the Coats City Cemetery.

Mrs. Ennis was born March 25 1920, in Harnett County to the late Martin Eumines and Minnie Ellen Lee Ennis. She was preceded in death by her husband, Chester Lee Ennis; sister, Helen E. Dixon; brothers, J. Warren Ennis, W. Clyde Ennis, and Charles R. Ennis. Mrs. Ennis was a member of the Coats Baptist Church, was a member of the choir, and served in many other capacities.

Surviving: son, Kenneth Wayne Ennis of Coats; sister and spouse Sue and Jimmy Benner of Fayetteville; brothers and spouses, Earl and Berlene Ennis of Coats, and Shelton and Winnie Ennis of Durham; sisters-in-law, Mary Ennis, Alice Ennis and Rachel Ennis, all of Coats; special friends, Mack, Glenda, Audra and Kitty McLeod; also several nieces and nephews.

Family will be at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Monday.

More About EDNA LUCILLE ENNIS:

Burial: 03 Jul 2001, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Intra-abdominal Bleeding

More About CHESTER LEE ENNIS:

Burial: Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Bilateral Pneumonia

Occupation: Western Auto/Owner & Operator

Child of EDNA ENNIS and CHESTER ENNIS is:

i. KENNETH WAYNE⁵ ENNIS, b. 05 Oct 1942, New Hanover County, North Carolina.

Notes for KENNETH WAYNE ENNIS: North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Kenneth Wayne Ennis

Date of Birth: 5 Oct 1942

Gender: Male

Birth County: New Hanover Parent1 Name: Chester Lee Ennis Parent2 Name: Edna Lucille Ennis Roll Number: B_C070_66007A

Volume: 47 Page: 356

21. MARTIN EARL⁴ ENNIS (*MARTIN EUMINESE*³, *JAMES*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 26 Apr 1922 in Coats, Harnett County, North Carolina. He married BERLENE LECTOR LANGDON 12 Aug 1942 in South Mills, North Carolina, daughter of DESTER LANGDON and LECTOR MATTHEWS. She was born 23 Jan 1926.

More About MARTIN ENNIS and BERLENE LANGDON:

Marriage: 12 Aug 1942, South Mills, North Carolina

Children of MARTIN ENNIS and BERLENE LANGDON are:

- 31. i. SONDRA LYNN⁵ ENNIS, b. 22 Apr 1947.
- 32. ii. MARTIN DALE ENNIS, b. 27 May 1952.
- 33. iii. Donna Gale Ennis, b. 27 May 1952.

22. WILLIAM CLYDE⁴ ENNIS (*MARTIN EUMINESE*³, *JAMES*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 08 Aug 1924 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 22 Feb 1996 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. He married MARY OLLIE HARMON, daughter of RUFUS HARMON and EULA STEPHENSON. She was born 17 Dec 1925 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 10 Nov 2006 in Chapel Hill, Orange County, North Carolina.

Notes for WILLIAM CLYDE ENNIS: Fayetteville Observer, The (NC) February 24, 1996

William Clyde Ennis, 71, of Route 1 died Thursday in Rex Hospital in Raleigh. He was a retired manager for the Coats ABC Store and was a member of Coats Baptist Church. Mr. Ennis was an Army veteran of World War II and was a member of Banner Post 109 of the American Legion. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. today in the Rose & Graham Funeral Home chapel in Coats by the Rev. Jesse Mooney. Burial will be in Coats City Cemetery.

Mr. Ennis is survived by his wife, Mary H. Ennis of the home; a son, Clyde Ennis Jr. of Lewisville; three brothers, Earl Ennis and Charles Ennis, both of Coats, and Shelton Ennis of Durham; two sisters, Edna E. Ennis of Coats and Sue E. Benner of Fayetteville; and two granddaughters.

More About WILLIAM CLYDE ENNIS:

Burial: 24 Feb 1996, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Military service: United States Army WWII

Occupation: ABC Store Manager

Notes for MARY OLLIE HARMON: Rose & Graham Funeral Home Notice 11/11/2006

Mrs. Mary Harmon Ennis, 80, of 1566 Abattoir Road died Friday at UNC Hospitals in Chapel Hill. She was born in Harnett County, December 17, 1925, to the late Rufus Benton & Eula Stephenson Harmon. She was also preceded in death by her husband, William Clyde Ennis, and was a homemaker. Graveside Funeral services will be held at 11 AM Monday at the Coats City Cemetery. Officiating will be Rev. Jesse Mooney and Luke Boythe.

Affectionately known by her Harmon family as "Tootsie", she is survived by a son and his wife, Clyde, Jr. & Debbie Ennis of Lewisville; Sister & Brother-in-law, Millie H. & Norman Wiggins of Buies Creek; Two Grandchildren and Husbands, Mary Kathryn & Chad Alexander, Melissa Sue & Luke Boythe; Great Grandchildren Chase Alexander and Andrew Boythe.

The family will receive friends at Rose & Graham Funeral Home, Coats, from 7:00PM to 8:30PM Sunday.

More About MARY OLLIE HARMON:

Burial: 13 Nov 2006, Coats City Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of WILLIAM ENNIS and MARY HARMON is:

i. WILLIAM CLYDE⁵ ENNIS, JR., m. DEBBIE?.

23. JAMES WARREN⁴ ENNIS (*MARTIN EUMINESE*³, *JAMES*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 04 Dec 1926 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 09 Aug 1993 in Wilmington, New Hanover County, North Carolina. He married ALICE DARE ?.

Notes for JAMES WARREN ENNIS: North Carolina Death Collection, 1908-1996

Name: James Warren Ennis Death Date: 9 Aug 1993 Death City: Wilmington Death County: New Hanover Death State: North Carolina

Death Age: 66

Burial Location: Burial in state

Birth Date: 4 Dec 1926

Residence County: Harnett Residence State: North Carolina

Father: Ennis Gender: Male Race: White

Marital Status: Married Social Security Number: Institution: General Hospital

Attendant: Physician

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

More About JAMES WARREN ENNIS:

Occupation: Owner & Operator/Ennis Agri Supply Company

Children of JAMES ENNIS and ALICE? are:

- i. JAMES TERRY⁵ ENNIS, b. 27 Feb 1959, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- ii. DONALD WARREN ENNIS, b. 17 Aug 1960.

24. CHARLES RAVON⁴ ENNIS (*MARTIN EUMINESE*³, *JAMES*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 04 Nov 1928 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 19 Jul 2000 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. He married ALICE RACHEL STEPHENSON, daughter of GEORGE STEPHENSON and VIOLA STEVENS. She was born 06 Mar 1927 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Notes for CHARLES RAVON ENNIS:

Social Security Death Index

Name: Charles R. Ennis

SSN:

Last Residence: 27521 Coats, Harnett, North Carolina, United States

Born: 4 Nov 1928 Died: 19 Jul 2000

State (Year) SSN issued: North Carolina (1955)

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC) July 21, 2000

Mr. Charles Ravon Ennis, 71, of 1117 Lincoln Street, died Wednesday at Rex Hospital in Raleigh. Funeral service will be 3 p.m. Saturday at Coats Baptist Church. Rev. Jesse Mooney, Rev. A. Howard Beard, Dr. Mark T. White, Rev. Jim Cashwell, and Rev. Keith Hall will officiate. Burial will follow in Devotional Gardens, Dunn.

Mr. Ennis was born November 4 1928 in Harnett County to the late M.E. and Minnie Lee Ennis. He retired with the Harnett County Correctional Department and was a farmer. Mr. Ennis served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He was a member of Coats Baptist Church where he served as deacon, a Sunday School teacher, and a member of the choir for 40 years. Mr. Ennis was very active in community affairs and was named Coats Farmer of the Year.

Survivors include: wife, Rachel Stephenson Ennis; daughter and son-in-law, Debbie and Don Turlington of Coats; sisters, Edna E. Ennis of Coats, Sue E. Benner of Fayetteville; brothers,

Earl Ennis of Coats, Shelton Ennis of Durham; grandsons, Chad Turlington and Brian Turlington; special family friend Stephen Norris.

Family will receive friends from 6:30-9 p.m. Friday at Rose & Graham Funeral Home, Coats.

More About CHARLES RAVON ENNIS:

Burial: 22 Jul 2000, Devotional Gardens Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of CHARLES ENNIS and ALICE STEPHENSON is:

DEBORAH CAROL⁵ ENNIS, b. 02 Feb 1953, Harnett County, North Carolina;
m. DONALD WADE TURLINGTON; b. 20 Feb 1954, Harnett County, North Carolina.

25. JOSEPH BRYAN⁴ ENNIS (*JOHN ALVIS*³, *RODOLPHUS*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 24 Feb 1944 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married CONSTANCE LYNN DORMAN 16 Apr 1965 in Harnett County, North Carolina, daughter of WILLIAM DORMAN and MURIEL BUFFKIN. She was born 24 Aug 1947 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 10 Feb 2006 in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina.

Notes for CONSTANCE LYNN DORMAN: Rose & Graham Funeral Home Notice 02/10/2006

Mrs. Constance "Connie" Dorman Ennis, age 58, of 5934 Red Hill Church Road died Friday at Wake Medical Center in Raleigh. Funeral Services will be 3:00PM Monday, February 13, at Ebenezer Presbyterian Church. Officiating will be Revs. Warren Bock & Joseph Hester. Burial will follow in the Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Ennis was born on August 24, 1947 in Harnett County to the late William Dorman & Muriel Buffkin Dorman of Coats. Mrs. Ennis was an office manager at Buies Creek Memorial Baptist Church, member of Ebenezer Presbyterian Church and was a homemaker.

Surviving in addition to her Mother are Husband, Joseph Ennis; Daughters, Amy E. Eubanks of Fayetteville, & Melissa Ennis of Wilmington. Son, Michael Ennis of Coats, Sisters, Katherine Ennis & Ethel Barbour of Coats, Brother, Franklin Dorman of Erwin; and Grandchildren, Lauren Eubanks & Aiden Eubanks.

Family will receive friends at Rose & Graham Funeral Home, Benson, from 6:00PM to 8:00PM Sunday and other times at the home.

More About Constance Lynn Dorman:

Burial: 13 Feb 2006, Ebenezer Church Cemetery, Harnett County, North Carolina Occupation: Office Manager

Marriage Notes for JOSEPH ENNIS and CONSTANCE DORMAN: Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6500075

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM Groom: ENNIS, JOSEPH BRYAN

Bride: DORMAN, CONSTANCE LYNNE

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 04/16/1965

Volume: 1965

Page: 75

More About JOSEPH ENNIS and CONSTANCE DORMAN: Marriage: 16 Apr 1965, Harnett County, North Carolina

Children of JOSEPH ENNIS and CONSTANCE DORMAN are:

i. AMY⁵ ENNIS, m. ? EUBANKS.

ii. MELISSA ENNIS.

iii. MICHAEL ENNIS.

26. JOHN ALVIS⁴ ENNIS, JR. (*JOHN ALVIS*³, *RODOLPHUS*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) He married KATHERINE DORMAN 28 Nov 1963 in Harnett County, North Carolina, daughter of WILLIAM DORMAN and MURIEL BUFFKIN. She was born 09 Feb 1943 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for JOHN ENNIS and KATHERINE DORMAN: Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6300069

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM Groom: ENNIS JR, JOHN ALVIS Bride: DORMAN, KATHERINE

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 11/28/1963

Volume: 1963

Page: 69

More About JOHN ENNIS and KATHERINE DORMAN: Marriage: 28 Nov 1963, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of JOHN ENNIS and KATHERINE DORMAN is:

- i. JONATHAN TODD⁵ ENNIS, b. 29 Apr 1965, Harnett County, North Carolina.
- **27.** CLARA ERNESTINE⁴ CREECH (*VERNIE MAE*³ *ENNIS, RODOLPHUS*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 07 May 1940 in Johnston County, North Carolina. She married JERRY WHITFIELD DENNING 15 Jun 1958 in Johnston County, North Carolina, son of ALONZA DENNING and HATTIE WOOD. He was born 15 Jun 1927 in Johnston County, North Carolina, and died 18

Dec 2003 in Johnston County, North Carolina.

Notes for CLARA ERNESTINE CREECH: North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Clara Ernestine Creech Date of Birth: 7 May 1940

Gender: Female Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Vernie Mae Ennis Parent2 Name: Willie Herbert Roll Number: B_C056_66001

Volume: 27 Page: 584

Notes for JERRY WHITFIELD DENNING: North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Jerry Whitfield Denning

Date of Birth: 1927 Gender: Male Race: White

Birth County: Johnston Parent1 Name: Hattie Wood Parent2 Name: Lonnie

Roll Number: B_C056_66001

Volume: 14 Page: 99

Smithfield Herald

Obituary ID: 60455

Name (Age): Denning, Jerry Whitfield

Obit. Pub. Date: 12/23/2003

Other Pub. Info.: Died 12/18/03. Born 6/15/1927. Son of the late Lonnie & Hattie Wood

Denning. Husband of Ernestine Creech Denning. Veteran WWII.

Dunn Daily Record Monday, December 22, 2003

Jerry Whitfield Denning, 76, of 1646 Denning Road, Benson, died Thursday at Johnston Memorial Hospital in Smithfield.

He was born June 15, 1927, in Johnston County to the late Lonnie and Hattie Wood Denning. He was a farmer and a member of Pleasant Hill Christian Church. Mr. Denning was a U.S.

Navy veteran of World War II and was a member of the American Legion Banner Post 109.

Funeral services were held Sunday at 2 p.m. at Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel by the Revs. Don Williams and Tim Bass. Burial followed in the Denning Family Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Ernestine Creech Denning; sons, Tracy Denning and wife Tammy, and Steven Denning and wife Karla, all of Benson; daughters, Deborah D. Byrd, Rhonda D. Peacock and husband Jamie, all of Benson; a sister, Rosalie D. Stephenson of Benson; a brother, Charles Denning of Benson; five grandchildren and spouse, Christie and Jeffery Mitchell, Jennifer Byrd, Blake Denning, Brandon Byrd, and Cole Denning; and one great-granddaughter, Katie Mitchell.

U.S. Veterans Gravesites, ca.1775-2006

Name: Jerry Whitfield Denning

Service Info.: US NAVY WORLD WAR II

Birth Date: 15 Jun 1927 Death Date: 18 Dec 2003 Cemetery: Dean Cemetery

Cemetery Address: Kenly NC Benson, NC 27504

More About JERRY WHITFIELD DENNING:

Burial: 21 Dec 2003, D. B. Denning Family Cemetery, Johnston County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardiopulmonary Arrest Military service: WWII United States Navy

Occupation: Farmer

Marriage Notes for CLARA CREECH and JERRY DENNING:

North Carolina Marriage Collection, 1741-2000

Name: Jerry Whitfield Denning

Gender: Male

Estimated Birth Year: 1958

Spouse: Clara Ernestine Creech

Spouse Gender: Female

Spouse Estimated Birth Year: 1958

Marriage Date: 15 Jun 1958 Marriage County: Johnston Marriage State: North Carolina

Source Vendor: North Carolina State Archives

More About JERRY DENNING and CLARA CREECH:

Marriage: 15 Jun 1958, Johnston County, North Carolina

Children of CLARA CREECH and JERRY DENNING are:

- i. Deborah Lynn⁵ Denning, b. 06 Jul 1960; m. ? Byrd.
- ii. TRACY WHITFIELD DENNING, b. 21 Jan 1964; m. TAMMY?.
- iii. STEVEN CREECH DENNING, b. 25 Feb 1969, Johnston County, North Carolina; m. CARLA?.

Notes for STEVEN CREECH DENNING: North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Steven Creech Denning Date of Birth: 25 Feb 1969

Gender: Male Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Clara Ernestine Creech

Parent2 Name: Jerry Whitfield Roll Number: B_C056_66002

Volume: 88 Page: 165

iv. RHONDA FAYE DENNING, b. 07 Sep 1972; m. JAMIE PEACOCK.

Notes for RHONDA FAYE DENNING: North Carolina Birth Index, 1800-2000

Name: Rhonda Faye Denning Date of Birth: 7 Sep 1972

Gender: Female Race: White

Birth County: Johnston

Parent1 Name: Clara Ernestine Creech

Parent2 Name: Jerry Whitfield Roll Number: B_C056_68004

Volume: 96 Page: 208

28. DAVID DWIGHT⁴ ENNIS (*DAVID BENTON*³, *RODOLPHUS*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 15 May 1944 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 06 May 2005 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married (1) NANCY LYNN SEWELL, daughter of NETTIE BELLE SEWELL. She was born 02 Oct 1950, and died Mar 1998. He married (2) DEBRA WELLS.

Notes for DAVID DWIGHT ENNIS: Dunn Daily Record 5/09/2005 David Dwight Ennis, 60, of 69 Baywood Lane, Erwin, died Friday, May 6, 2005, at his home. He was born May 15, 1944, in Harnett County to Wynona Godwin Ennis of Benson and the late David Benton Ennis. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Nancy Sewell Ennis; brothers, Daywood and Dennis Ennis; a nephew, Martin Ennis; and a stepson, Glenn Rivenbark. Mr. Ennis was a welder and machinist with Dunbar Foods. Funeral services were held 3 p.m. Sunday at Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel in Benson by the Rev. Joseph Hester.

Survivors, in addition to his mother, include his wife, Debra Wells Ennis; a daughter, Christy Lynn Parker and husband Frank Parker Jr. of Erwin; a son, Jason Dwight Ennis of Erwin; a stepson, Allen Rivenbark of Burgaw; a sister, Becky E. Adams of Benson; and grandchildren, Ty Ragan, Caylynn Parker and Wyatt Parker.

Memorials may be made to Advantage Hospice & Home Care, 305 Tilghman Drive, Suite D, Dunn, N.C. 28334; or to Ennis Family Cemetery Fund, c/o Becky E. Adams, 731 Chic Ennis Road, Benson, N.C. 27504.

More About DAVID DWIGHT ENNIS:

Burial: Ennis Family Cemetery, Benson, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Cardio Vascular Accident

Occupation: Welder

Notes for NANCY LYNN SEWELL: Fayetteville Observer, The (NC) March 4, 1998

ERWIN -- Mrs. Nancy Sewell Ennis, 47, of Erwin died Monday in Rex Hospital in Raleigh. She was a librarian for the town of Erwin. The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday in St. Stephens Episcopal Church by Father Tom Taylor. Burial will be in Erwin Memorial Park.

Mrs. Ennis is survived by a daughter, Christy Ennis of the home; a son, Jason Ennis of the home; and her mother, Belle Sewell of Erwin. The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Price Funeral Home and at other times at 301 N. Ninth St., Erwin.

More About NANCY LYNN SEWELL:

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

Children of DAVID ENNIS and NANCY SEWELL are:

- i. CHRISTY LYNN⁵ ENNIS, b. 09 Jul 1981, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. FRANK PARKER, JR..
- ii. JASON DWIGHT ENNIS, b. 29 May 1985, Harnett County, North Carolina.

29. JOHN BRUCE⁴ ENNIS (*JOHN BERNARD*³, *WALTER*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 11 Sep 1936 in Wake County, North Carolina, and died 15 Mar 1991 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married (1) MARY FRANCES?. He married (2) JOYCE STEVENS. She was born 12 Jan 1941.

More About JOHN BRUCE ENNIS:

Burial: Devotional Gardens, Dunn, Harnett County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Poorly Differentiated Metastatic Cancer

Occupation: Mechanic

Children of JOHN ENNIS and MARY? are:

i. RODERICK BRUCE⁵ ENNIS, b. 26 Nov 1958, Harnett County, North Carolina.

 RICKY LYNN ENNIS, b. 19 Feb 1961, Harnett County, North Carolina; m. LISA MICHELLE BYRD, 23 Dec 1988, Harnett County, North Carolina; b. 12 Jun 1965, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for RICKY ENNIS and LISA BYRD: Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 8800107

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM Groom: ENNIS, RICKY LYNN Bride: BYRD, LISA MICHELLE

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 12/23/1988

Volume: 1988 Page: 107

More About RICKY ENNIS and LISA BYRD:

Marriage: 23 Dec 1988, Harnett County, North Carolina

30. DONALD EDWIN⁴ ENNIS (*JOHN BERNARD*³, *WALTER*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 29 Aug 1938 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married (1) GLORIA FAYE FUTRELL 23 Dec 1966 in Harnett County, North Carolina. He married (2) RETHA ANN EDWARDS 29 Nov 1981 in Harnett County, North Carolina, daughter of MARSHALL EDWARDS and REBECCA FAIRCLOTH. She was born 19 Mar 1941 in Harnett County, North Carolina, and died 12 Jan 1998 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for DONALD ENNIS and GLORIA FUTRELL: Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 6600067

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM Groom: ENNIS, DONALD EDWIN Bride: FUTRELL, GLORIA FAYE

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 12/23/1966

Volume: 1966

Page: 67

More About DONALD ENNIS and GLORIA FUTRELL: Marriage: 23 Dec 1966, Harnett County, North Carolina

Notes for RETHA ANN EDWARDS: News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC) January 14, 1998

Mrs. Retha Ann Edwards Ennis, 56, of Route 4, Dunn died Monday. She worked with Data General in Apex, NC. Funeral service will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. from Pleasant Grove Free Will Baptist Church near Erwin, NC. Officiating will be the Revs. Bobby Caudle, Jerome Pope, Frank Daniels and Billy Nowell. Burial will be in church cemetery.

Surviving: son, Wayne Lewis of Godwin, NC, Gary Lewis of Charlotte, NC; daughter, Glenda Beth Lewis of King George, Virginia; brothers, James Carl Edwards and Jerry Edwards, both of Route 4, Dunn, NC; two grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 7-9 p.m. Wednesday night at the Cromartie-Miller & Lee Funeral Home in Dunn.

More About RETHA ANN EDWARDS:

Burial: 15 Jan 1998, Pleasant Grove Original Free Will Baptist Church Cemetery, Harnett

County, North Carolina

Cause of Death: Severe Congestive Heart Failure

Occupation: Electronics

Marriage Notes for DONALD ENNIS and RETHA EDWARDS:

Harnett County Register of Deeds

Certificate Number: 8100086

Date Filed: 01/01/1800 12:00:00 AM Groom: ENNIS, DONALD EDWIN

Bride: HAYES, RETHA ANN EDWARDS

Maiden Surname:

Date of Marriage: 11/29/1981

Volume: 1981 Page: 86

More About DONALD ENNIS and RETHA EDWARDS:

Marriage: 29 Nov 1981, Harnett County, North Carolina

Child of DONALD ENNIS and GLORIA FUTRELL is:

i. DWAINE EDWIN⁵ ENNIS, b. 06 Feb 1972, Harnett County, North Carolina.

Generation No. 5

31. Sondra Lynn⁵ Ennis ($Martin Earl^4$, $Martin Euminese^3$, $James^2$, $John Austin^1$) was

born 22 Apr 1947. She married MICHAEL ALLEN SMITH.

Children of SONDRA ENNIS and MICHAEL SMITH are:

- i. MARTIN ALLEN⁶ SMITH, m. JENNIFER LUCAS.
- ii. Brandon Ennis Smith.
- **32.** MARTIN DALE⁵ ENNIS (*MARTIN EARL*⁴, *MARTIN EUMINESE*³, *JAMES*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 27 May 1952. He married DEBORAH HARTLEY.

Child of MARTIN ENNIS and DEBORAH HARTLEY is:

- i. HEATHER LYNN⁶ ENNIS.
- **33.** DONNA GALE⁵ ENNIS (*MARTIN EARL*⁴, *MARTIN EUMINESE*³, *JAMES*², *JOHN AUSTIN*¹) was born 27 May 1952. She married TIMOTHY HAYWOOD PENNY, son of HAYWOOD PENNY and IMOGENE POLLARD. He was born 05 Nov 1952.

Children of DONNA ENNIS and TIMOTHY PENNY are:

- i. JAMIE CAROL⁶ PENNY.
- ii. JENNIFER LYNN PENNY.