

Obituaries

Mr. William Alan Jackson

On Monday, September 19, 2022, Mr. William Alan Jackson, 79, passed away peacefully at Atrium Health Union in Monroe.

Funeral services will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 24, 2022, in the Chapel of Leavitt Funeral Home. Interment will follow in Eastview Cemetery.

The family will greet friends one hour prior to the service Saturday at the funeral home.

The arrangements are in care of Leavitt Funeral Home and online condolences may be made at www.leavittfh.com.

Mrs. Edna "Meme" Hall Baker

On Thursday, Mrs. Edna "Meme" Hall Baker, 96, peacefully went to be with her Lord at Anson Health and Rehab in Wadesboro.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, September 20, 2022, at Deep Creek Baptist Church with Rev. Mark Perko officiating. Interment followed in the church cemetery.

The family greeted friends prior to the service and at the home of her daughter on Wildwood Street in Wadesboro.

Edna was born May 19, 1926, in Macon County, TN and was a daughter of the late Thomas Porter Hall and the late Anna Lou Hammons Hall. She graduated high school in Tennessee and met a young man, Henry Hurley Baker from Wadesboro, who was stationed in Tennessee with the United States Air Force. They met at the famous Ryman Auditorium in Nashville, TN. She and Hurley made their home in Wadesboro to be near his family.

Meme, as she was lovingly named by her "first" grandchild in the neighborhood, Ericka Johnson Chaney, was devoted to her family and friends. She loved her family dearly and was especially proud of her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Everyone who knew Meme loved her and she loved being everyone's Meme in return.

Meme worked at West Knitting Mills in Wadesboro until her retirement at age 65 when the mill closed. Following retirement from West Knitting she worked at Walmart in Wadesboro, first in the pharmacy and later became one of their popular greeters. She loved her job there, and especially enjoyed seeing all of the customers. She retired from Walmart at age 84, but throughout the rest of her life people she met often commented that they remembered her as one of the greeters.

The oldest and a longtime member of Deep Creek Baptist Church, Meme was active with the WMU as well as a member of the Melissa Ratliff Sunday School Class. In her early years she taught Sunday school and later enjoyed participating with the senior adult ministry and taking trips with them.

In her earlier years Meme also enjoyed traveling with her lifelong friends: Jackie, Ruth, Myrtle and Frances. She loved sharing the stories of their adventures with everyone she met.

Her family is most appreciative to the staff at Anson Health and Rehab for their loving care as part of Meme's extended family. She always looked forward to the activities, especially bingo. Meme was once a faithful Burger King bingo player on Tuesday nights in Wadesboro for many years and was happy to continue playing throughout her life.

Those left to cherish Meme's memory are her daughters, Debbie Jarman of Wadesboro and Linda Pilkenton (Eric) of Lenoir; her grandchildren, Adam Jarman (Lauren) of Charlotte, Emily Trexler (Dave) of Wadesboro, John Jarman (Nicole) of Peachland and Justin Jarman (Shelley) of Wadesboro; her great-granddaughters, Avery Jarman, Abby Trexler and Alyssa Trexler; her brother-in-law, Rev. D. W. Carpenter of Wadesboro; along with her extended Baker family and Anson Health and Rehab family.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband Henry Hurley Baker in 1975, her brothers Jim and Glenn Hall, and sisters-in-law Willie Carpenter and Frances Hall, as well as many other cherished Baker family members.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Deep Creek Baptist Church Building Fund, 1280 Beck Rd., Wadesboro, NC 28170 or to the Activity Department at Anson Health and Rehab, 405 S. Greene St., Wadesboro, NC 28170.

In the words of Meme, "I mean, uh, you know what I mean...I am grateful for a good long life and for all my blessings."

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Mr. John Thomas Lamb, IV

On Wednesday, September 14, 2022, Mr. John Thomas Lamb, IV, 18, passed away peacefully in his sleep at home.

There will be a service to celebrate Thomas' life at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, September 23, 2022, in the Chapel of Leavitt Funeral Home with Dr. Harry Workman officiating.

The family will greet friends one hour prior to the service at the funeral home and following the service at the home of his grandmother in Wadesboro.

The interment will be private at a later date in Griffin Cemetery in Polkton.

Thomas was born October 20, 2003, in Matthews, NC and was the son of Amy Brock Harrington Lamb and John Thomas Lamb, III. He was a 2022 graduate of Northwest Guilford High School and was currently a student at Guilford Technical Community College where he was also employed in the athletic department. He was fascinated with history and never turned down a time for sushi!

He was quite interested in sports and enjoyed playing basketball, tennis and golf. Through the years, he has attended basketball camps at Duke. With that being said, it is no doubt John Thomas' affinity and faithfulness to Duke Basketball, although his family was not.

Thomas enjoyed times shared with this family, especially farming with his grandfather in Ansonville and going fishing with his Mama Wim. Mama Wim not only taught him to fish, she also taught him to clean the fish and how to eat them, tail first! Among his greatest moments in life, though, was hanging out with his cousins and friends.

Those left to cherish his memory are his parents, Amy and John; his four-legged brother, Ruggy; his half-sisters, Carson Lamb of Raleigh and Hunter Lamb of Charlotte; his grandparents, Bucky Harrington and Tina of Ansonville and John "Red Dog" Lamb, Jr. and Dena Copland of Chapel Hill; his aunts and uncles, Sandy Harrington of Lexington, SC, Mike Harrington of Ansonville, David Drake of Concord, Ashley Drake of Wadesboro, Joy Drake of Peachland, and Trish Naylor and Shane of Summerfield; his extended family of great-aunts and great-uncles and cousins, all of whom were a very close part of his life; and his many Greensboro friends, classmates and teammates.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Wilma Brock Drake, Hank Drake and Marian Parker.

The family is most grateful for the outpouring of love and concern shown during this time and for everyone who has played an integral part in Thomas' life.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Gate City Baptist Church Student Ministry, 5250 Hilltop Rd., Jamestown, NC 27782 or to Friends of Anson County Animal Shelter, P.O. Box 828, Wadesboro, NC 28170..

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Mr. Bobby "Bob" Richard Napier

On Sunday, September 18, 2022, Mr. Bobby "Bob" Richard Napier, 72, passed away peacefully at Atrium Health Anson in Wadesboro.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday, September 21, 2022, in the Chapel of Leavitt Funeral Home. Interment followed in Bethel Cemetery.

The family greeted friends prior to the service on Wednesday and other times at the home.

Bob was born July 2, 1950, in Richmond County, NC and was a son of the late Ralph Meggs Napier and the late Myrtle Lee Moore Napier. He was a graduate of Hamlet High School and was a veteran of the United States Air Force.

He was with the North Carolina Department of Corrections for more than 25 years. He was first employed as a correctional officer with Anson Correctional and later was the assistant plant manager for Brown Creek Correctional Enterprise, where they manufactured lockers for the department of corrections.

Bob was a member of Bethel United Methodist Church.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife of 21 years, Clara Airington Napier; his children, Crystal Napier of Wadesboro and Tony Napier (Jodi) of Myrtle Beach, SC; his grandchildren, Toni Napier of Bennettsville, SC, Hayley Napier of Stevens Ranch, CA, Brice Carpenter and Aidan Carpenter, both of Wadesboro and Kaitlyn Capps of Wadesboro; and his great-grandchildren, Aleia and Kyrie Coffey, Madison Dibbs, Jackson Tolbert and Paxton Capps.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his daughter Pamela Joy Napier and his sister Nancy Snead.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Bethel Cemetery Fund, c/ Harold Carpenter, 1381 Cox Rd., Wadesboro, NC 28170.

The arrangements were in care of Leavitt Funeral Home and online condolences may be made at www.leavittfh.com.

Mrs. Anner Lean Streater Wilkes

On Thursday, September 15, 2022, Mrs. Anner Lean Streater Wilkes, 84, of Wadesboro and formerly of Hamlet, passed away peacefully to be with her Lord at Lake Park Nursing Home in Indian Trail with her family at her bedside.

Funeral services were held on Monday, September 19, 2022, in the Chapel of Leavitt Funeral Home with Rev. June Grant officiating. Interment was private in Anson Memorial Park.

The family greeted friends prior to the service at the funeral home and other times at the home of her niece at 404 Robinson Bridge Road, Wadesboro.

Anner Lean was born August 23, 1938, in Anson County and was a daughter of the late Robert Hill Streater and the late Mary Bailey Streater. She worked for a number of years at Hornwood in Lilesville and later retired from Richmond County Schools, having worked in the dietary department.

Anner Lean was a member of Joy Free Will Baptist Church in Hamlet where she served with the kitchen committee.

Those left to cherish her memory are her nieces and nephews, Sherry Poplin (Jeff), Cindy Caudle (Tracy) and Rosemary Greene (John), all of Wadesboro and Terry Streater (Irene) of Monroe; her great-nieces and great-nephews, Jennifer Stovall (Robert), Beth Diggs (Rodney), April Mullis (Kevin), Kyle Caudle (Keely), Tyler Greene (Alexis) and Erin Ratliff (Will), all of Wadesboro, Stephanie Brown (Jody) and Matthew Poplin (Bridget) of Polkton, Elizabeth Poplin of Helena, MT, Matthew Streater (Kellie) of Monroe and Quentin Streater (Sydney) of Cape Carteret and their families; and her special friend, Teddy Butler of Cheraw.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband Jimmy Wilkes and by her brother and sister-in-law, Ernest and Helen Streater.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Anson Rescue Squad, 208 E. Morgan St., Wadesboro, NC 28170.

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Hatchery - 1st Shift Processing-Responsibilities Summary:

Position is responsible for the processing of all chickens including grading, vaccination, and toe trimming; work in biosecure environment, includes Sundays. (Starting \$15.45/Hr)

Hatchery - 1st Shift Sanitation Floater-Responsibilities Summary:

Position is responsible for operating the high pressure and regular water hose to clean and sanitize the chick room, monitoring and recording temperatures in hatchers and setters, fogging, padding empty chick boxes and other duties may be assigned; work in biosecure environment; includes Sundays. (Starting \$15.45/Hr)

Hatchery - 1st Shift Maintenance Generalist 04-Responsibilities Summary:

Position is responsible for assisting in installing, repairing, and servicing all hatchery equipment. Conducts equipment service per PM schedule; orders supplies and maintains inventory; performs housekeeping to maintain a safe and orderly work environment; and coordinates major repairs with external vendors; work in biosecure environment; includes Sundays. (Starting \$17.25/Hr)

Hatchery - 3rd Shift Pull Crew - Responsibilities Summary:

Position is responsible for the inspection of chicks in hatchers to ascertain quality and fitness for processing. Pull chicks and place in boxes for processing, properly dispose of substandard chicks, sanitize trays and hatchery equipment. Clean and disinfect setters and hatchers; work in biosecure environment; includes Sundays. (Starting \$16.45/Hr)

Hatchery - FLEX Driver-Responsibilities Summary:

Position responsible to wash/disinfect trucks, load/unload eggs, safe transport of eggs from farms to hatchery; chicks to customer on time; delivery of adult birds between contract farms. Class A Commercial Driver License with one year verifiable CDL experience operating Class 8 commercial motor vehicle, clean safety record; work in biosecure environment, includes Sundays. Sign-On Bonus.

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