

Deacon Edison E. Jackson

Deacon Edison E. Jackson, 81, died Aug. 16, 1999.

Services conducted by the Rev. Terry O. Corbin were held at St. Paul Baptist Church with burial in Oaklawn Cemetery.

Born in Fairfield County on Jan. 19, 1918, he was the son of the late Dave and Mariah Bagley Jackson.

A life-time member of St. Paul Baptist Church, he served his church as a deacon and former church treasurer. He served his community as a member of the Council on Aging Board, and the Fairfield Health Center Board.

He was also the owner and operator of Jackson Convenience Store for more than 14 years, continuing a family legacy that began more than 50 years ago.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, and was a member of the Prince Hall Royal Arch Masons Sunshine #27. He distinguished himself by serving in many capacities, including past King of Sunshine #27, charter member of Lodge #401, Master, past Master of Lodge #401, past Special Deputy of District 6, Grand Pursuivant of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of the Jurisdiction of South Carolina of Prince Hall Masons. His leadership, objective advice, and steadfast disposition were a guiding force for his young masonic brothers and for the young men of the community.

Surviving are two daughters, Edwinda J. Goodman of the home, and Dora B. Abram of Durham, NC; two sons, David Jackson of Charleston, and Joseph Jackson of the home; two sisters, Marie J. Green of Philadelphia, PA, and Bernice J. Brown of Winnsboro; a god-sister, Mary A. Covington of Philadelphia; a brother, Clarence R. Jackson of Columbia; 17 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; five great-great-grandchildren; nieces; nephews; four step-children; and a devoted friend, Arthuretta Bowman of Leonardtown, MD.

O.E. Manigault and Sons Funeral Home in Winnsboro was in charge of the arrangements. *HERALD-IND.*
10/21/1999

Services were held Monday, Oct. 18 at Second Baptist Church in Chester. Burial followed at Evergreen Cemetery in Chester.

Born in Chester County on May 14, 1924, she was the daughter of the late William Alexander Yarborough and the late Annie Bell (Roof) Yarborough. She was the widow of William H. Beam and George Jacobs, both deceased.

She was retired from Springs Industries. Mrs. Jacobs attended schools of Chester County and was a member of First Baptist Church in Winnsboro.

Surviving are five daughters, Shirley Keener Benfield of Rock Hill, Patsy Keener Carnes of Great Falls, Vickie Keener Kelly of Winnsboro, Lori Horne Miller of Carlisle, and Wendy Horne Lawson of Chester; three sisters, Louise Y. Carpenter of Dallas, TX, Iva Lee Laws of Chester, and Sara Rape of Great Falls; three brothers, Willard H. Yarborough of Myrtle Beach, Oneal Yarborough of Chester, and Thomas Roof of Chester; six grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Nora Ann Keener Horne.

Memorials may be made to Palmetto Hospice, P.O. Box 7275, Columbia, SC 29202.

Barron Funeral Home in Chester was in charge of the arrangements.

Lindsay Simmons

WINNSBORO - Lindsay Simmons died Sept. 26.

Services conducted by the Rev. Damein Boyles were held Oct. 1 at St. John Baptist Church with burial in the church cemetery.

Born in Fairfield County, he was the son of the late Elmore and Mary Byrd Simmons.

He was a member of St. John Baptist Church and a graduate of Fairfield High School.

Surviving are four sisters, Azzie L. Pearson, Carrie L. Watkins, and Maggie Watkins, all of Winnsboro, and Frances Watkins of Greensboro, NC; three brothers, Paul Simmons of Winnsboro, and Willie J. Simons and Lonnie Simmons, both of Ridgeway; aunts, Maggie Rabb of Columbia, and Annie Henderson of Raleigh, NC;