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Alison Williams, 2009, is a first grade teacher at Westminster Elementary School in Westminster.

Ashley Burns, 2009, and Russell Meadors, 2006, were married June 20, 2009, at Spiegel Farms in Campobello.

Allie Howell, 2009, wed Tyler Sloan on July 25, 2009, at the Westin Poinsett in Greenville. She is an assistant to the senior pastor at NewSpring Community Church in Anderson.

Jacob Morrison, 2009, is an outside sales coordinator with Jostens.

Kassie Burton, 2009, is a business developer of growth markets for Piedmont Technical College.

Jessica Coleman, 2008, wed Joseph Robert Boger on August 1, 2009, at the Mount Olive Wesleyan Church. She is a teacher at Monaview Elementary School in Berea.

Don Hodges, 2008, was promoted to the rank of Sergeant with the Anderson Police Department.


Jenika Mullikin, 2008, is a fourth grade teacher at Homeland Park Elementary School in Anderson.

Shon Brown, 2008, is a middle school teacher at Temple Christian Academy in Anderson.

Ben Pettit, 2008, is the owner of B Pettit Commercial Photography. He will marry Stacy Beinhorn in 2010.

Crystal Gaffney, 2008, and Blake Wood, 2006, were married July 2009. Blake is a regional sales rep for Jedmed Instrument Co.


Brooke Coleman, 2008, and Travis Williams were married on August 10, 2009. Brooke is
a sixth grade teacher with Spartanburg School District Five.

Kelly Woodall, 2008, is a mnema therapist for Art Without Boundaries.

Krish Ramanthan, 2008, is a sales rep for Synnex Corporation in Greenville.

Danielle Moore, 2008, wed Nik Young on May 24, 2008. She is a first grade teacher at Ambler Elementary School.

Rhett Atkins, 2008, is the art teacher for Woodruff Primary School.


Keri Burger, 2008, is an adoption specialist with S.C. Department of Social Services Region I Adoptions. She married Carter Tippins, 2008, on September 5, 2009.

Jessica Breisch, 2008, is permissions coordinator for SoundForth.

Jessica Simmons, 2008, wed Travis Reed Davis on May 30, 2008. She is a second grade teacher at Nevitt Forest Elementary in Anderson.

Sterling Kenny, 2008, is the program coordinator for the "Imagine That!" Improvisational Theater Troupe, which is connected with Spartanburg Little Theatre. "Imagine That" uses improvisational theatre as an informative tool to present youth and adult audiences with scenarios intended to discourage negative attitudes and behaviors, including the use of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs. Performances are designed to educate, encourage healthy attitudes and choices, and provoke thought, per their website www.imaginethatimprov.com.

Ryan Grubbs, 2008, wed Amy Blume on July 11, 2009, at The Madren Center in Clemson. He is a sales rep with State Farm Insurance in Greenville.

Tiffiny Gilliland, 2008, is a fifth grade teacher with Kannapolis City Schools.

Celeste Cox, 2008, is currently serving with the campus ministry staff of Campus Crusade for Christ in Charleston.

April Neal, 2008, is an assistant branch manager for Upstate Federal Credit Union.

Erin Dennehy, 2008, is a planning coordinator for The Bainbridge Crew.

Joya Sellers, 2008, is a third grade teacher at Calhoun Academy of the Arts in Anderson.
Avery Ellenburg, 2008, wed Ryan Paige Davis on July 18, 2009, at Trinity Baptist Church in Williamston. She is the band director at Palmetto Middle School.

Cheryl Lusk, 2008, was promoted to quality engineering analyst with Capsugel, a division of Pfizer, in August 2008.

Katrina Johnson, 2008, is an English/Literature tutor for the athletic department at Clemson University, where she is currently pursuing a master's in English.

Brandon Loudermilk, 2008, is currently pursuing a master's in industrial/organizational psychology at Louisiana Tech University, but he expects to transfer to the University of South Carolina for their doctoral program in educational research/psychometrics. In his spare time he is the principal violist for LTU's orchestra and will be playing with the Monroe Symphony Orchestra and the South Arkansas Symphony Orchestra in their upcoming seasons.

Megan Hendricks, 2008, wed William Stafford on June 1, 2008. She teaches seventh grade English at Palmetto Middle School and also coaches volleyball.

Jessica Head, 2008, is an associate marketing manager for Pikes Peak International Raceway.


Brandon Candler, 2008, and Kelley Amick Candler, 2008, were married August 2, 2008, at Northside Baptist Church in Greenwood. Brandon is a graphic designer with Infinity Marketing.


Leanna Willis, 2008, is an administrative assistant and wellness director for General Wholesale Distributors in Greenville.

Andres Weisskopf, 2008, has been hired as the assistant coach for tennis at Eastern Illinois University.

Hanna Kozlowski, 2008, and David Slone, 2007, were married June 28, 2009. Hanna is pursuing her MFA in painting at Clemson University.

Amy Brower, 2008, is enjoying a fast paced career in advertising and commercial production for ABC Columbia WOLO TV. She married Peter Lown on May 9, 2009.
Nick Hawkins, 2008, is the band director at Saluda Middle School.

Erica Herald, 2008, is a traveler for Aspen Square, a property management company. Essentially she is available to be an extra hand at newly acquired property - assisting with leasing, administrative, marketing or management needs.

DeeDee Snyder, 2008, and Ryan Whetstine, 2008, were married April 4, 2009.

Amber Sanders Pearson, 2008, is a special education teacher at Belton Elementary School.

Charles Butler, 2008, is a detention officer with the Anderson County Sheriff’s Office.

Katie Granath, 2008, wed Jason Thomas Smith on June 13, 2009, at Calvary Baptist Church in Florence. Katie is a fourth grade teacher with Alachua County schools in Gainesville, Fla.

Hannah Roland Lollis, 2008, is a first grade teacher at Marshall Primary School in Belton.

Ashley Moxley Sutton, 2008, is a third grade teacher at Homeland Park Elementary School.

Steven Smith, 2008, is a detective with the Washington (Ill.) Police Department.

Pamela Meece, 2008, is employed with the therapeutic behavioral services staff of Pickens County School District.

Julie Rogers, 2008, is an English teacher with SALI Peruvian Missions.

Charity Greggs, 2008, is a music teacher at Harbison West Elementary School in Columbia.

Megan Phillips, 2008, is an accounting analyst with the City of Anderson.


Stephanie Griffis, 2007, wed Devin James Brothers on June 13, 2009. She is a fourth grade teacher at Pendleton Elementary and will complete her master's in education from Anderson University in December 2009.

Bobby Winburn, 2007, and Sherry Marter, 2007, will be married October 17, 2009, at Occasions at Wedgefield in Central. He is employed with Synnex Corp. in Greenville while
she is employed with CSI Technology in Easley.

Alicia Bolding, 2007, is a high tech manager for AnMed Health. She is pursuing her MBA at Anderson University.


Howard Braden, 2007, is a third grade teacher at Round Lake Elementary in Clermont, Fla.

Bonnie Lynch, 2007, is a custom printer with Polka Dot Papers in Charleston.

Jennifer Chesson, 2007, wed Jeff Dill on May 16, 2009, at The Chapel at The Cliffs at Glassy Mountain. She is pursuing her master's in pastoral counseling at Gardner Webb School of Divinity and plans to become a chaplain.

Sylvia Floyd Fowler, 2007, was named Teacher of the Year for South Fant Early Childhood and Education Center in Anderson.

Meghan Carnes, 2007, completed her master's in mathematics in May 2009 from UNC Charlotte. She is a lecturer of mathematics at Coastal Carolina University.

Kevin Ridley, 2007, wed Stefanie Bowen on April 11, 2009, at the Ryan Nicholas Inn in Simpsonville. He is employed at Inergy Automotive in Anderson.

Jeff Morris, 2007, is a guidance counselor at Aiken Christian School. In fall 2009 he began his pursuit of a master's in systematic theology from Erskine Theological Seminary through its extension campus in Columbia.

Alison Cleland, 2007, is the WIA program assistant with the Seneca Employment Security Commission.

Elizabeth Looney, 2007, and Jason Cranford, 2007, were married June 7, 2008.

Emily Sellers Trangmar, 2007, and husband Art welcomed the arrival of son Tyler William on April 27, 2009.

Whitney Spaugh, 2007, and Nicholas Kirby, 2008, were married June 27, 2009, at Spring Valley Presbyterian Church in Columbia. Whitney teaches fifth grade math and science at Belton Elementary. Nick is currently attending seminary at Columbia International University and is employed as the youth coordinator at Seven Oaks Presbyterian Church.

Allison Bailey Bennett, 2007, is the officer manager at JEMCO Buildings Plus.
Angela Wacker, 2007, has been accepted to Boston University for their master's program in Criminal Justice.

Brandon McKinney, 2007, is enrolled in Anderson University's MBA program.

Ashley Hodges, 2007, is the marketing director for The Peoples Bank in Anderson.

Lindsey Jeffries, 2007, married Nick Cunningham on February 7, 2009, at First Baptist Church in Greenwood. The couple lives in Ohio, where Nick serves as a high school youth pastor for Ginghamsburg Church.


Kari Beth Smith, 2007, and Andrew Crawford, 2007, were married May 9, 2009.

Jenny Masters, 2007, wed Neal Kendrick on June 14, 2008. She is the co-owner of Soleil Tanning, LLC, in Ridgeland.

Lillian Burns, 2007, is an administrative assistant with Clemson University in the department of electrical and computer engineering.

Lauren Davis, 2007, wed Seth Dean on June 22, 2008, at the St. Luke's Chapel at MUSC in Charleston. She is a kindergarten teacher at Riverview Elementary in Fort Mill.

Kimberly Williams, 2007, and Desmond Robson, 2007, were married June 14, 2008, at Gassaway Mansion in Greenville. Kimberly is a first grade teacher at Homeland Park Elementary in Anderson. Desmond is employed with Synnex Corporation.

Dee Irby, 2007, wed Jonathan Self on June 7, 2008, at the Clemson Outdoor Lab. She is a second grade teacher at Calhoun Academy of the Arts.

Matthew Chambers, 2007, is pursuing his MBA at Clemson University.

Michael Walker, 2007, is a technical analyst for Insorce Software Solutions in Charlotte, N.C.

Jon Scott, 2007, and Allison Page, 2007, were married May 3, 2008. Jon is a network engineer for Greenville Hospital System; Allison is a fifth grade teacher at Mountain View Elementary School.

Amanda Moon, 2007, wed David Link on July 11, 2009, at Berea First Baptist Church in
Greenville. She is a kindergarten teacher at Abner Creek Elementary in Duncan.

Brooke King, 2007, wed Joseph Van King, Jr. on July 11, 2009, at Simpsonville First Baptist Church.

Brandon Sheriff, 2007, wed Angela Dianne Watson on July 25, 2009, at the West Manor in Forest, Va. He is pursuing a degree in physical therapy at the Jefferson College of Health Science.

Brandon O'Shields, 2006, was licensed to the ministry on May 31, 2009, by Glenwood Baptist Church in Easley, where he serves as student minister. He is also a student at the Greenville extension of Southern Baptist Seminary. Brandon and his wife Heather have one daughter Ava.

Mark Good, 2006, is a commercial sales executive for Murray Risk Management & Insurance in Lancaster, Pa.

Jeremy Goodwyne, 2006, is pursuing his master's in church music at Erskine Theological Seminary.

Julie Tucker Goodwyne, 2006, is an interior designer with MCA Architecture in Greenville.


Jon Harper, 2006, graduated from the Criminal Justice Academy in July 2007, receiving the J. P. Strom Award for highest overall academic average, the Distinguished Graduate Award for an academic average of 96% or higher, and the Challenge Run Award, for completion of a physical fitness test. Jon then received the Rookie Agent of the Year Award for Region Four at the 2007 annual awards from the South Carolina Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services. More information about his award can be found at www.dppps.sc.gov/Informer/Informer%20WEB%2007.pdf.

Ashley Duggins Garris, 2006, is an exercise specialist/personal trainer for Akron General Health and Wellness Center in Ohio.

Amy Ashley, 2006, wed Keith Whiten on October 11, 2008, at the SC Botanical Gardens in Clemson. Amy is currently enrolled in the AU MBA program.

Brooke Moore Diaz, 2006, and Marco Diaz, 2007, have one daughter, Isabelle Michele, born on October 31, 2007. Brooke is a dance instructor for Upstate Strut while Marco is a
store manager for Gamestop, Inc. He plans to begin graduate studies at Clemson.

Ashley Crabtree, 2006, wed Timothy Brandt O'Neal on August 9, 2008, at Redeemer Presbyterian Church in Charleston. She is a second grade teacher at Leaphart Elementary in Columbia.

Kendra Mitchell, 2006, is a medical technologist at Lexington Medical Center. She will marry John Walter Pugh in January 2010.

Brad Dalton, 2006, is a first year medical student at the University of South Carolina School of Medicine.

John Mac White, 2006, wed Caroline Elizabeth Whitehurst on July 5, 2008, in the West Zone Club at Memorial Stadium at Clemson University. He is employed by State Farm Insurance Company as a fire underwriter.

Danielle Webb, 2006, wed Justin Chappell in October 2008. She completed her master's in education from Converse College and is an English teacher at Blue Ridge High School in Greer.

Sawyer Nix, 2006, completed his master's in community agency counseling from Clemson University in December 2008.


Nick Bennett, 2006, is the day shift leader of Central Sterile Unit at the Medical College of Georgia.

Jennifer Pitts, 2006, wed Bronson Clay Robinson on June 20, 2009, at Rabun Creek Baptist Church. She is a sixth grade teacher at Hickory Tavern Middle School.

Rodney Lewis, 2006, wed Faith Knowles on December 20, 2008. He is a teacher at Calverton Elementary school and the minister of music for Harvest United Ministries.

Steven Compton, 2006, is the market manager at Bi-Lo in Anderson.

Kimberly Morris, 2006, wed Steven Turner on April 4, 2009. She is a fifth grade teacher at Douglas Elementary in Trenton.

Lauren McCuen, 2006 married Matthew George McClellan on November 22, 2008. She is a special education teacher in Charleston.

Kathryn Page, 2006, is engaged to Jon Adams. She is a physical therapist assistant at Self

Quientell Walker, 2006, completed his master's in library science (MLIS) from the University of South Carolina in December 2008. He is a circulation assistant at Clemson University.

Adam Lynch, 2006, is junior art director for Noise, Sanibel Island, Fla.

Lauren Shell, 2006, presented her graduate thesis at the Globe Theatre in London July 2009. She is currently in China for a year to teach English and Theatre at the Shandong Yingcai University in Jinan.

Sarah Beaty Niemann, 2006, is the lead graphic designer for the Aviator Church in Derby, Ks.


Joanna T. Gunnels, 2006, is a special education/resource teacher for Starr-Iva Middle School.

Brandy Brown McDavid, 2005, and her husband Shamar welcomed the arrival of daughter Madilyn on July 11, 2009.

Alice Burdette, 2005, married John William Storey on July 18, 2009, at Connie Maxwell Baptist Church in Greenwood. She graduated from the University of South Carolina College of Pharmacy in May 2009 and is a pharmacist for Wal-Mart.

Nancy Stubbs, 2005, will marry Mike Shaw on July 16, 2010, at the Tidewater Chapel in Mount Pleasant.

Stephanie Eskew, 2005, wed Christopher Anthony Turco on June 13, 2009, at First Presbyterian Church in Greenville. She is a fourth grade teacher at Timber Ridge Elementary in Marietta, Ga.

Jessica Parks, 2005, wed James Rourke on May 16, 2009, at First Baptist Church of Columbia.
Joseph Herlong, 2005, is the owner of two Coffee News franchises.

Amanda Burgess, 2005, wed David Garry Milloway on May 16, 2009. She is an editorial assistant for N.C. State University.


Brad Brock, 2005, is pursuing his master's in international church planting at Southeastern Baptist Seminary.

Jennifer Weathers Haren, 2005, and husband Tom have one daughter Maggie Denise, born on September 3, 2007.


Kelli Butler Petit, 2005, and husband Al welcomed their first son, Jaxon Garrison, on July 31, 2008.

Kelli Butler Petit, 2005, began her master's in education through Kaplan University this past spring.

Angela Boyd, 2005, is a career counselor in the Office of Student Life at the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown.

Janice Gray, 2005, completed her master's in mental health counseling from Webster University in October 2008.

Sara Gambrell, 2005, wed Ryan Paul Kotula on June 7, 2008, at Honea Path First Baptist Church. She is the owner of Rainy Day Enterprises.

Jamie Daniels, 2005, wed Timothy Dean Bright on May 17, 2008, at McCormick First Baptist. They were expecting their first child in July 2009.

Amber Richardson, 2005, married Kevin Huckabaa on July 1, 2006. She teaches math at Westside High School.

Michael Sanders, 2005, is in healthcare management with the U.S. Air Force out of

Crystal Ballard, 2005, married Larry White in December 2007. She completed her master's in Physician Assistant Studies from MUSC in August 2008 and is now employed with Charleston Nephrology as a PA.

Anna Beaty, 2005, wed Charles Young Workman, IV, on August 22, 2009, at Oakland Avenue Presbyterian Church in Rock Hill. She is employed by Todd, Bremer & Lawson, Inc.

Charity Hawkins, 2005, is a speech/language pathologist at New Prospect Elementary. She will marry Andrew Jenkins on June 26, 2010.

LeAnne Gray Klein, 2005, is the director of Iva First Learning Center.

Shanon Knight Ashley, 2005, is a teacher with the Oconee County School District. She and her husband Jason have two children: Cole and Reagan.

John Hembree, 2004, currently serves with plans/operation in the army.

Kristen Jeffcoat, 2004, wed David Phillip Hearne on November 22, 2008, at The Cliffs at Glassy Chapel. She is the library media specialist at Wren Middle School.


Brittany Berg Rood, 2004, received her doctorate of pharmacy degree from USC in May 2008. She is a pharmacist with CVS in Anderson.


Brooke Sutherland, 2004, wed Stephen Bert Phillips on July 26, 2008, at Friendship Baptist Church in Honea Path. She is employed with Palmetto Insurance in Belton.


Lisa Wooten, 2004, is a paralegal with McIntosh, Sherard, & Sullivan in Anderson.

Sarah Snow Hill, 2004, completed her master's in Educational Supervision and Leadership from Clemson University in December 2008.


Jared Taylor, 2004, wed Lacy Willard on June 21, 2008, at West Springs Baptist Church in Spartanburg. He is a realtor for Internet Homes.

Michael Bobbitt, 2004, wed Emily Ann Bohachic on April 27, 2009, at La Vieille Maison in Greenville. He is a math teacher at Hillcrest High in Simpsonville.

Emily Gamble Staggs, 2004, is a financial aid counselor at Spartanburg Methodist College.


Andy Hix, 2004, is a production planner/coordinator with Michelin. He and wife Joy Watt Hix, 2003, have a daughter Hayley Emma, born March 13, 2007.

Steven Hoffer, 2004, is an associate with Hodges Ward Elliott in Atlanta, Ga., a brokerage and investment banking firm dedicated solely to the sale and financing of lodging properties. He and his wife Karen welcomed their first child, a son named William Andrew, on November 21, 2008.

Ryan Thomas, 2004, wed Leah Ellen Spangler on December 6, 2008, at East North Street Baptist Church in Greenville. Ryan is a physical education teacher and varsity baseball coach at Wade Hampton High School.

Ryan Holtzclaw, 2004, wed Emily Parris Messick on December 20, 2008, at Seneca Baptist Church. He is the minister of students at Woodlawn Baptist Church in Grovetown, Ga.

Sarah Ellen Scott Edwards, 2004, is completing her master's in education at AU.

Anna Haltiwanger Langley, 2004, and husband Adam welcomed daughter Mozelle Hope on April 1, 2009. She joins sister Harper Wren, who was born on April 2, 2008.

Terrence Barrett, 2004, is an applications team leader with Merck & Co, Inc.
Maricary Maynard Hansen, 2004, is a music teacher at Flat Rock Elementary School.

Ashley Byers Fowler, 2004, is a therapeutic behavioral services clinical staff member for the school district of Pickens County. She and her husband James have one child, Ryan, born August 2007.

Brandi Bessinger Dillon, 2004, is the village program coordinator for Anderson Mental Health.


Brian Gurley, 2003, is director of youth at St. Paul UMC in Goldsboro, N.C.

Paula Richey, 2003, is a freelance writer and owner/editor of her own Web site www.Date-Good-Men.com, which focuses on helping women overcome bad relationship habits.

Beth Foster, 2003, is the choral director at Seneca Middle School. Her Honors Chorus recently traveled to Annapolis, Md., to participate in the Heritage Music Festival - the only middle school in the competition. They walked away with a Gold Rating, the Adjudicators Award, and the Outstanding Choral Group Award.

Phil Kalchthaler, 2003, is a realtor with John Hamrick Real Estate.


Angela Harrell, 2003, is a massage therapist for Weaver Chiropractic.

Ria Wright Hydrick, 2003, and husband Matt welcomed their son McCoy Russell on March 22, 2009.

Josh Wilson, 2003, wed Ellison Nicole McDaniel on April 12, 2008, at the South Carolina State Museum. He is a CAD technician with Terramark.


Jon Michael Brock, 2003, wed Stephanie Farrow Roberts on December 6, 2008, at Neals Creek Baptist Church, where he serves as minister of music. Jon Michael is also the director of bands for Honea Path Middle School and BHP High School.
Beri Hancock, 2003, and Brian Irving, 2004, were married June 7, 2008, in Dahlonega, Ga. Beri is a sustainable design specialist at tvsdesign in Atlanta while Brian is a partner at Toolbox9, an interactive design firm.

Chris Bailey, 2003, won the U.S. Young Lions competition in June 2008. This competition showcases the world's top creative talent 28 and under. As a winner he got to travel to The Cannes Lion Festival in France as the U.S. representative.

Ronnie James, 2003, joined the staff of Millbrook Baptist Church in Aiken in May 2008 as the children's pastor.

Chris Beeco, 2003, is an officer with the Mauldin Police Department.

Lindsay King Hurley, 2003, is office manager for Upstate Homecare MD.

Cory Lundeen, 2003, returned to Anderson University this fall as an area coordinator with the residence life office.

Amanda Rainey, 2002, received her doctorate in veterinary medicine from the University of Georgia College of Veterinary Medicine on May 2, 2009, in Athens, Ga. While in veterinary school, she was a member of Phi Zeta honor society, Canine Club, the women's intramural flag football team, and the Student Chapter of the American Veterinary Medical Association. She received the Schering-Plough Award for Excellence in the Study of Surgery and Pain Management, the Hugh and Victoria Leary Scholarship, Merck Veterinary Student Award, Blanch D. Hayes Award, and the Novartis/Ethicon Surgical Excellence Award. She is currently a small animal intern at the University of Tennessee Veterinary Teaching Hospital in Knoxville, Tenn.


Mia Drummond McDowell, 2002, is currently attending Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary in Columbia.

Randy Greene, 2002, became director of human resources for Sunland Distribution, Inc., in Greenville in 2008. He is an adjunct instructor of psychology at AU this fall.

Becca Hardeman, 2002, began work on her master's in intercultural studies at Southeastern Seminary in Wake Forest, N.C. in January 2009.

Kati Bridges Linn, 2002, and husband John welcomed daughter Hannah Arlene "Halli" on August 26, 2008.
Becky Gray, 2002, and Timothy Pitts, 2005, were married June 21, 2008. Becky is a teacher at Varennes Elementary while Timothy started as a fiscal technician at the Clemson Foundation in July 2008.

Leah Golden Wilson, 2002, and husband Cory welcomed son Nathanael Rhett in February 2008. Leah teaches music at All God's Children Preschool and is an adjunct flute instructor for Erskine College, Southern Wesleyan University, and Anderson University.

Nikki Thrasher, 2002, wed Eddie Hanson on March 7, 2009, at The Cliffs at Glassy Chapel in Landrum. She is the payroll and benefits manager at Southern Wesleyan University in Central.

Ellen Gordon, 2002, wed Allen Keefer on April 12, 2008. She is an RN with Spartanburg Regional Hospital; her husband is employed with Milliken as an engineering manager.

Mandy Makison Griffin, 2002, and husband Jimmy welcomed daughter Carson Riley on March 27, 2009. Mandy is activities director at Anderson Place Retirement Community.

Abby Collins Lambert, 2002, is the assistant director of cardiac rehab at Marion County Medical Center.


Kathy Littleton, 2001, wed Jerrad Ward on April 4, 2009, at Biggerstaff Retreat Center in Seneca. She will start a new job at Daniel High School as a literacy specialist.


Elizabeth Kay, 2001, wed Jason Stieglitz on May 23, 2009, at Taylors First Baptist Church. She is the residential director for the Disabilities and Special Needs Board of Dorchester County.

Hope Ellis, 2001, married Daniel Lamar Jernigan, Jr., on April 18, 2009, at Historic Oakley Park in Edgefield. She is a youth case manager with GLEAMNS Human Resources commission. Hope recently completed her master's in psychology from the University of Phoenix in June 2009.


Brooke Hunt, 2001, was a finalist for the 2008-09 South Carolina Bar "Young Lawyer of the Year" Award.

Rhonda McMahan, 2001, is minister of preschool at Taylors First Baptist Church.

Richard Robinson, 2001, is a post-doctoral fellow at the Trudeau Institute in New York. He recently was selected for a Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) from the National Institutes of Health. Grants are provided to train researchers in the health sciences. Richard will use this funding to support his research on the immune response to tuberculosis.


Kervin Searles, 2001, is the service coordinator for the Burton Center in Greenwood.

Justin King, 2001, has been promoted to commercial relationship manager with SunTrust Bank.

Justin King, 2001, and wife Derinda Campbell King, 2001, welcomed their first child, son Corbin Tyler, on October 14, 2008.

Kerry Grubbs, 2001, married Scott Hughes on June 14, 2008. She teaches fifth grade at Sue Cleveland Elementary in Piedmont.

Jason Kelley, 2001, was promoted to investment consultant with SunTrust in July 2008.

Becki James Owens, 2001, and husband Travis welcomed their first child, Tanner James, on September 26, 2008.

Melissa Jones Thomas, 2001, is a consultant for Clemson University's Small Business Development Center in Greenville. In this position she is an advocate and counselor for those who own or wish to start a small business, conducting workshops and offering one-on-one consultations.

Adam Bradley McClain, 2001, wed Bonnie Christine Harvey on July 5, 2008, at Advent UMC. Adam is a teacher in the Greenville County School District.

Chris Edwards, 2001, completed his Juris Doctor from the University of South Carolina School of Law in May 2008. He is the assistant baseball coach at Presbyterian College.
Amy Bracken Rainey, 2001, is pursuing an associate's degree in nursing from Greenville Tech. She also works for her husband's business, Double G Builders.

Jennifer Turner, 2001, is a teller supervisor with BB&T in Anderson.


Amanda Hays Houston, 2000, and husband Josh adopted their first son Joshua Tyler on April 30, 2008.

John Frank Stevenson, 2000, wed Amanda Milam Padgett on April 18, 2009, at First Presbyterian Church in Anderson. He is a loan officer and assistant vice president for Peoples Bank in Anderson.

Nichole Chestnut, 2000, is pursuing a master's in special education through Grand Canyon University Online. She is also an independent beauty consultant with Mary Kay Cosmetics.

Liz Ciaremelli Odom, 2000, is a graphic artist for The News Journal in Florence. She has a stepson named Tyler and a daughter named Kaitlyn, who was born in August 2007.


Joseph Moore, 2000, is a teaching assistant in the history department at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro.

Chad Sanders, 2000, married Kayla Richey on August 1, 2009, at West Anderson Church of God. Chad is a network engineer for Anderson County.

Peyton Schrimsher, 2000, wed Brian Snyder on June 20, 2009. She is in sales with Not Just Wicker.

Julia Goldie Day, 1999, was ordained for Christian ministry at Clearview Baptist Church in
January 2009. She serves as minister to children at Pendleton First Baptist.


Mandy Canon, 1999, and Cliff Sams, 2000, were married June 13, 2009, at The Cliffs at Glassy Chapel. Mandy is a senior sales associate with Apria Healthcare in Charleston. Cliff is a second year student at The Charleston School of Law and is a practicing speech pathologist.

Kevin Woods, 1999, and wife Molly welcomed the arrival of son Owen Michael on November 12, 2008.

Amy Brooks Kelley, 1999, is a project coordinator with Bon Secours St. Francis Health System. She oversees the oral health community outreach in Greenville and surrounding counties.

Lori Jo Cooper, 1999, was promoted to manager of a Greenville Dunkin Donuts on February 23, 2009.

Michael Robinson, 1998, is an assistant controller for Remington Arms Company in Madision, N.C.

Michael Hodge, 1998, and Amanda Lusk Hodge, 1998, were appointed by the International Mission Board as church planters in San Luis, Argentina, on November 11, 2008. Following orientation and a year in Costa Rica for language training, they will begin their post in May 2010.

Clay Bolt, 1998, was selected as one of 25 photographers to be featured in the gallery show for the UK's 2008 CIWEM Environmental Photographer of the Year Competition. He was also featured in the November 2008 issue of Outdoor Photographer Magazine, which is one of the largest magazines in the world for professional and semi-professional outdoor photographers. The article focuced on Clay's collaborative work with The Nature Conservancy in the Upstate.

Jason Moss, 1998, earned a master's in pastoral studies from Covington Theological Seminary in July 2009 and is continuing with the doctoral program. He is senior pastor at Praters Creek Baptist Church in Pickens.

Gregory Hill, 1998, is logistics function manager for Walgreens Distribution Center in Fla.

Tracie Rider Sweet, 1997, is the principal of Temple Christian Academy in Anderson.
Meredith Goodwin Repik, 1997, has rejoined the lowcountry division of the March of Dimes as executive director. She had previously served the organization from 1999-2004.

Thomas White, 1997, has been elected to the position of associate professor of systematic theology at Southwestern Baptist Seminary. He will continue to serve as vice president for student services and communications at the school.

Cori Valleau, 1997, wed Andrew Hock on July 12, 2008. She is a teacher at Windermere Preparatory School in Windermere, Fla.


Stacy Brown, 1995, and husband Todd welcomed daughter Lauren Elisabeth on October 1, 2007.

Tina Miller Wright, 1995, is the owner of Fine Interiors.

Catherine Bruce Simpson, 1995, and husband Mitch welcomed their first child, McGregor "Mac" Bruce Simpson, on February 1, 2008. Cat is the owner of Chattahoochee Candle Company.

Shannon Kohn, 1994, has started a new venture called Foodie with Skills. Her work can be seen at www.foodiewithskills.com. She and husband Guy, 1993, have two children - Tanner (12) and Loftin (9).

Richard Gambrell, 1994, teaches eighth grade chemistry and physics at The Regis School of The Sacred Heart, an all-boys Catholic school in Houston, Texas.


Jason Mowen, 1992, is the associate executive director of Children and Family Services at Tamassee DAR School.

Kathryn Pressly Hunter, 1992, and husband James are the owners of Dynamic Exhibits, which designs, sell, and rents trade show displays. Their work can be seen at
Donna Simpson Strickland, 1992, became the executive secretary for the math and statistics department at the University of North Carolina at Wilmington in October 2008.

Shellie Abee, 1991, is a LPN with Midlands Orthopaedics, PA.

Chad Chrysler, 1991, is the art and physical education teacher for New Covenant School in Anderson. He has also opened Chrysler Studio and Art Academy.


David Richardson, 1991, earned his Doctor of Ministry degree from the Beeson Divinity School of Samford University on May 6, 2008. He is senior pastor of Williston First Baptist.

Craig Weninger, 1990, is a merchandiser with Crown Bolt. He and his wife Connie have two children: Corbin (7) and Anna Rose (5).

Susan Smith Whitfield, 1990, is the owner of Ballantyne Tax and Financial, Inc.

Leigh Blackwelder-Burritt, 1990, and husband Troy have two children: John (12/18/02) and McKenzie (11/18/05).


Brian Jones, 1990, is an assistant vice president for Macon Bank in Columbus, N.C.

Jeanne Tuite Michaels, 1989, is a realtor in Lancaster. She and husband Jon have one daughter Jennings, who was born August 15, 2007.

Steve Ranhosky, 1989, is married with three sons and one girl.

Susan Smith, 1989, is pastor of Mt. Zion Presbyterian Church in Sandy Springs.

Becky Campbell, 1987, was recently awarded fifth place for Best Spot News Story in the 2009 Tennessee Press Association (TPA) contest which is sponsored by TPA and the University of Tennessee. She is a reporter at the Johnson City Press in Johnson City, Tenn.
Zach Heard, 1987, is teaching at a Bible institute in Chihuahua, Mexico, in cooperation with New Tribes Mission.

Tommy Miller, 1986, is an assistant vice president with Arthur State Bank in Anderson.

Paula Roback Clark, 1986, is the owner of Tidewater Editions, a fine art reproduction company located in Mt. Pleasant. She and her husband Marty have three sons: Sidney, Kyle, and Aaron.

Rob Moody, 1986, is serving as commercial manager of a project with Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirate, to oversee the building of a power and water plant. He and his wife Dawne have two children, Jennes and Elijah.

Miriam Stone Johnson, 1981, completed her doctoral degree in conflict management from Trinity Theological Seminary in March 2008. She is in her 20th year of teaching, currently teaching English at Seneca High School. She welcomed her first grandchild in July, Olivia Leigh, daughter of Candace and Brett Strickland, who are both AU alumni.

Cynthia Grooms Duggan, 1985, is the author of two books: Seekers of His Face and People of His Presence. She is married with two children. You can learn more about her ministry at www.cynthiadugganministries.com.

Bitsy Hendrix Farmer, 1984, is a realtor with Prudential Burroughs & Chapin Realty.

Lynda Leroux Gelpi, 1982, is a realtor with Balistreri Realty in Pompano Beach, Fla.

Debbie Gurley Kelley, 1982, is an administrative assistant with Huitt-Zollars, Inc. in Houston, Texas, a full service engineering, architecture, and construction management organization.

Lisa McAlister Thompson, 1981, is assistant registrar at Georgia State College.

Terry Corder, 1981, is pastor of Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church. He is serving as first vice-president of the South Carolina Baptist Convention.

Kindra Butterfield Williams, 1980, is the community relations director for MediHome Hospice in Rock Hill.

Jeff Whiten, 1980, is the minister of music and senior adults at Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church in Easley.

James Dyar, 1980, began as pastor of Earle's Grove Baptist Church in Westminster on October 1, 2008. He had previously served as pastor of Red Hill Baptist in Pickens. James
and wife Teresa have three children: Hannah, Jared, and Bethany.

Susan Walkup, 1980, is executive director of South Carolina Network of Children's Advocacy Centers.

Meg Crump, 1980, is enrolled in MechaTronics program at Greenville Tech. She is retired from the Air Force.

1970s

Rick Whiten, 1979, is employed with Greenville Tech's foundation department. He and wife Debbie Landrith Whiten, 1995, have one daughter Cadi.

Cindy Vissage Boggs, 1979, is a product group manager with North Star Foodservice/U.S. Foodservice in Greenville. She and her husband Alan have one son Tyler, who has been accepted to Anderson.

Phil Sargent, 1979, was named the 2009 South Carolina Jail Administrator of the Year in April. The award is given annually to a state jail administrator who demonstrates outstanding leadership and innovation. Phil is a captain with the Pickens County Sheriff's Office.

Lynn Mize Powell, 1979, has retired after 30 years of teaching, most recently at New Prospect Elementary.

Terry Tritt, 1979, was appointed as an Alumni Distinguished Professor at Clemson University on August 18, 2009. There are only 18 of these positions.

Kathy Phillips Fletcher, 1979, was promoted to the position of senior dispatcher in distribution control at the Duncan Power Delivery Work Center with Duke Energy. Kathy has served in numerous work management roles at Duke and has 28 years of service with the company.

Dale Cochran, 1977, had his work featured in a one-man show titled "Extraordinary Experiences" as part of the Pickens County Museum's summer exhibition "Three Watercolorists" during July and August.

Melinda Sightler Ligon, 1977, is deputy registrar for the Sullivan County (Tenn.) Election Commission.

Sheryl Robinson, 1976, is DCAA compliance analyst for L-3 Communications.

Milton Roach, 1976, is an advanced production manager with Millikin & Co. He serves the
community through Boy Scouts of America and The Leukemia-Lymphoma Society.

Glynnis Blackwell, 1976, is a national advertising coordinator for Home Depot Support Center.

Shirley McAdams, 1976, is the special events manager for LifePoint, Inc., a non-profit organ and tissue recovery organization.

Mary Lynn Batson, 1975, is coordinator of classification, compensation and employment for Francis Marion University in Florence.

Radcliffe Pate, 1975, is the risk manager for the City of Monroe in North Carolina.

Dale Ellenburg, 1975, is pastor of Dotson Memorial Baptist in Maryville, Tenn. He teaches some at the Southern Seminary extension in nearby Lenoir City and is also a faculty member in Anderson's new Clamp School of Christian Ministry. He and his wife Constance have two children.

Ronald Adams, 1975, is president of Blue Ridge Composites in Kingsport, Tn.

Susan Butler Stephens, 1975, retired from public education in 2007. She has returned to the work force as a first grade teacher at The Trinity School and loves it. She and her husband Dave have two adult sons, Brad and Matt.

Michael Upton, 1974, retired after 30 years with the S.C. National Guard. He now operates his own CPA firm with his wife Nancy.

Drenner Tinsley, 1974, and his wife Marsha continue to operate their furniture business in Rock Hill. They have two sons, Blake and Miles.

Larry Thompson, 1974, is senior pastor at East Gadsden Baptist Church in Alabama.

Debbie Patterson Jones, 1974, has worked for Pruitt & Pruitt, Attys. in Anderson since 1975. She has one son Adam and became a grandma on August 31, 2008, to grandson Eli. Debbie also is a pianist for two small Methodist churches.

Lenny Farmer, 1973, serves as minister to senior adults at LifePoint Church in Smyrna, Tenn., in addition to his work with Jennings and Ayers Funeral Home.

Rudy Gray, 1973, has been elected president of the South Carolina Baptist Convention for 2009. He currently serves as pastor of Utica Baptist in Seneca. He and his wife Anne have three adult daughters and two sons-in-law, all of whom are Anderson graduates.
Nina Oliver Hanks, 1973, is the guidance clerk for the parenting center at Code Elementary in the Oconee County School District. She had previously retired from Oconee D.S.S. after 30 years of service. She and her husband Roy have two adult children, Kyle and Kendra, and one grandson Kameron.

Miriam Atkinson Brooks, 1972, is an online billing investigator for AT&T. She has two daughters, Heather and Amanda Paige.

Peggy Slaton Waits, 1971, has retired after 32 years of teaching in Anderson School District One. She now spends her time enjoying church activities, reading, bird watching, and gardening.

Leonard S. Horton, 1971, retired from the Georgia Department of Transportation in 2008. He just completed a 26 piece painting project and is in search of an art gallery to handle his work.

Everett Croxton, 1970, is an IT analyst for Cisco Systems, Inc. He is married to Debbie Quesnel and has 3 daughters.

1960s

Bob Tucker, 1969, is in his 10th year as athletic director at Somerset High School in Somerset, Ky. He and his wife Sherrye have two children (Ryan and Neal) and one grandson, Kannon Ryan. You can learn more about him at http://www.somerset.k12.ky.us/Teachers/rtucker/default.htm.

Susan Bishop, 1968, has spent more than 25 years as a prison chaplain. She also directs a choir at the Metro State Prison in Atlanta, Ga., which recently released their first CD entitled “Voices of Hope.”

Linda Miller Morris, 1967, has been promoted to be the first president/CEO of Atlanta Ronald McDonald House Charities. She has served as the executive director for 13.5 years. Formerly she was the director of community relations for Scottish Rite Children's Hospital - now known as Children's Healthcare of Atlanta.

Thomas Madden, 1966, is the president and owner of Crudup Oil Co.

Linda Chastain Boyd, 1964, retired from teaching in June 2008 but returned to the same position in September 2008 on the TERI program. She has two granddaughters and a new grandson.

Dick Franklin, 1963, retired from Samford University as dean of student affairs on May 16, 2009, after 19 years of service. The University named a Servant Leadership
Scholarship in his honor. Dick had previously served at Gardner-Webb University and his alma mater. His wife Portia Stasney Franklin, 1964, retired as office manager for a dental office. The couple has now returned to Anderson to enjoy their retirement years.

Jimmie Lou Jones Haynes, 1961, retired May 2, 2008, from Pickens Savings & Loan Association, F.A., after having worked there for 45 years and 8 months. Her final position was as senior vice president.

**1950s**

Denny Woodall Neilson, 1959, was awarded an honorary doctoral degree from Francis Marion University on May 9, 2009. She was honored for her service as a member of the S.C. House of Representatives for the past 25 years.

Louise Curry Plecker, 1956, and husband Thomas celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary on September 27, 2008. They have a son and a daughter, five grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren.

**In Memoriam**

Norma Bowen Booth, 2007, died September 16, 2008. She was employed at Tri-County Technical College as an assistant to the dean in the continuing education department and was a faithful member of Gap Hill Church of God.

Jim McElhannon, 2001, died February 18, 2009. He was previously a recruiter with The Franklin Group and attended Marathon Community Church.

Janice Robinson Turner, 1986, died November 11, 2008. She was co-owner of Turner Business Solutions with her husband Michael and also served as a hospice liaison for Hartland Hospice.

Joy Roberts Delorme, 1979, died February 21, 2009. She was an occupational therapist and a member of Boulevard Baptist Church.

Sam Richey, 1977, died September 7, 2008. He was an army veteran and had been employed as a butcher for Ingles and Kroger's Supermarkets for many years. He was also a member of Oakwood Baptist Church, where he served as an AWANAS leader for many years and was a member of the Abundant Grace Sunday School class.

Steven Stone, 1976, died July 14, 2009. Before he was called to the ministry, he was a counselor for Vocational Rehabilitation in Anderson and Abbeville. He was currently the pastor of Tabernacle Baptist Church in Pelzer and had previously served Hopewell Baptist
Church in Anderson, Pelion Baptist Church in Pelion, Pacolet Baptist Church in Pacolet, and Ebenezer Welcome Baptist Church in Landrum.

Claude Eldon Harris, Jr., 1975, died April 20, 2009. He was a CPA with Ernst and Young, LLP, for 18 years and Dixon Hughes for 8 years. He was also a board member with the Greenville Tech College Charter High School Program. He attended Boulevard Baptist Church in Anderson.

Mark Gibson, 1974, died January 27, 2009. He was a sales associate with Intex and El Mar Lee.

Grovan McClellan, 1973, died April 15, 2008. He was an army veteran and a member of Charleston First Baptist.

Pansy Julian, 1973, died April 7, 2009. She previously was a daycare owner and teacher. She was a member of Pope Drive Baptist Church in Anderson, where she was active in the Senior Adult Ministry and the Senior Choir. Pansy was a charter member of Hudson Berry United Daughters of the Confederacy and a member of Daughters of the American Revolution and the Association of University Women.

Reed Bowman, 1972, died February 1, 2009. He was a probation officer with the Department of Juvenile Justice in Paulding and Douglas counties and a charter member of the Douglas County Meth Task Force. He was previous owner of B.B.C. Limousine Service. Reed previously served as Minister of Youth at First Baptist Church of Douglasville and Fee Fee Baptist Church of St. Louis, MO. He also had served on the Steering Committee of Relay For Life - Paulding County and as co-chairman of Men's Ministry at First Baptist Church of Lithia Springs. He is survived by his wife Rachel "Tweetie" Bowman, 1994.

Nolan Lancaster, 1972, died October 22, 2008. Rev. Lancaster was retired from the Assembly of God Church.

Dale Hudson, 1972, died August 2009. Well known on the southeast coast for his true crime books, Dale also spent more than a decade writing non-fiction humanitarian novels as well as fiction novels. He was currently working on two screenplays and has several unpublished books. Dale pioneered assisted living homes specializing in Alzheimer's disease and dementia in the state of South Carolina and in 1983 opened the first facility of its kind in our state. He was the President/CEO, Owner/Operator of Pinedale Residential Centers Assisted-Care Living Facilities in both South and North Carolina for two decades as well as a licensed facility administrator for more than 25 years. He was currently working on a book entitled, *Alzheimer's Disease: A New Perspective for an Aged Problem* and a short film, “A New and Creative Approach to the Care and Treatment of Alzheimer's Disease in an Institutional Setting.” As the president of Eldercare Consultants & Associates
he served as a consultant and expert witness for many cases involving neglectful care of senior adults all over the United States. In 1998 Dale became a licensed forensic counselor and also appeared in several documentaries that aired on television in both the U.S. and Europe. His enjoyment of forensics coupled with his love of writing lead to his involvement with true crime.

James Alton Autry, Jr., 1968, died November 25, 2008. He was a veteran of the Vietnam War and had been awarded the Bronze Star for Service, Good Conduct medal, Army Accomodation for Valor, and the Purple Heart. He was a senior production control coordinator at Timken in Honea Path and a member of First Baptist Church in Belton.

Larry Robert Elrod, Sr., 1966, died April 11, 2009. He had served in the U.S. Air Force in the Vietnam War as a chaplain's assistant and was retired from the S.C. State Tax Commission. Larry was a member of the American Poolplayers Association and active with the Shriners.

Carmen Robinson Huskamp, 1965, died December 27, 2007. She was retired from Coldwell Banker Caine and was former president and board member of Merrifield Park Homeowners Association. She was a member of St. Giles Presbyterian Church.

Louise Kay Bowers, 1963, died May 30, 2009. She was an instructor at Pickens County Board of Disabilities and Special Needs.

Cindy Broome Bearden, 1959, died April 13, 2009. She served alongside her husband, Rev. Gerald Bearden, 1957, in the pastorate for 50 years.

Nora Kitchen Welborn, 1958, died November 30, 2008. She served as corporate secretary for Riverside Chevrolet-Cadillac and Riverside Toyota for many years, retiring in 1998. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Rome, Ga. Survivors include her husband of more than 50 years John Welborn, 1957.

Bootsie Ewing Crowder, 1957, died May 6, 2009. She taught and choreographed dance for 23 years and was an actor and dialect coach in the film industry. She was also an active member of Summerville Baptist, where she was a Sunday school teacher, drama director, and member of the Joy Singers and Fidelis Sunday school class.

Guy Overcash, 1956, died September 2, 2009. He was a retired Baptist minister, having served Anderson County for 50 years: four years at Triangle Baptist in Belton, 36 years at LaFrance First Baptist, and ten years as interim for various congregations. He had served as a chaplain on a Billy Graham Crusade and on the Emory University Board of Chaplains. Rev. Overcash was a member of Concord Baptist in Anderson.

Elise Crane Cahaly, 1955, died September 28, 2008 at the Rainey Hospice House. She was
the owner and operator of The Crane Agency, Property Management, founded in 1932 by her father and mother. Elise was also the first woman elected to Anderson County Council. She was a member of Grace Episcopal Church.

Judy Adams Gallo, 1951, died June 28, 2008. She was a retired instructor from Palm Beach Community College in Palm Beach, Fla.

Joann Loggins Bridges, 1950, died October 17, 2008. She was retired from Bank of America and was a member of George's Creek Baptist Church.

Mendel Lee Morris, 1949, died January 6, 2008 at Richard M. Campbell Veterans Nursing Home. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War and was the former co-owner and operator of Star Dry Cleaners and Launderette. He was also a Life Member of the Sertoma Club and a member of St. John's United Methodist Church.

Jessie Mull Broadwell, 1947, died July 29, 2009. She was a Certified Public Insurance Woman, retiring from Citizens Insurance Co., a member of the National Association of Insurance Women and was Anderson County Insurance Woman of the Year in 1980 and 1985. A charter member of Boulevard Baptist Church, she was a member of the Friendship Sunday School Class and Hope Mission Group and was active in the adult and senior choirs.

Mildred "Millie" Strickland Creamer, 1946, died July 5, 2009. She worked at the Anderson office of the Clemson University Extension Service. She also worked alongside her husband at The Sportsman in Anderson, and later at Anderson Lawn and Garden. Millie was a member of the Gideons Auxiliary and was a longtime member of New Prospect Baptist Church, where she attended the Hope Sunday School Class.

Harold Walker, 1945, died November 29, 2008. He served in W.W. II as a medic in the U.S. Navy and taught school in Anderson for several years before becoming a chemist with the SC Department of Health, retiring from DHEC in Greenville. Harold was a member of the First Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon, and was a member of the Pioneer Sunday School Class.

Juanite Davis McCombs, 1945, died October 27, 2008. She previously worked at Anderson University as a registrar and also worked in the trust department of C&S Bank. She was a member of Simpsonville First Baptist, where she sang in the Joyful Hearts Choir and attended the Joy Fellowship and Loving Hearts Sunday school class.

Mary Brown Thomas, 1944, died November 9, 2008. She and her late husband Harry Lee had served churches in South Carolina, North Carolina, Kentucky and Pittsburg. She was a church secretary and school secretary and helped manage the family printing business in Greenville for many years.
Mary Lee Ellison McJunkin, 1944, died November 14, 2008. She was a school teacher and principal for over 43 years and was a member of First Baptist Church.

Marian Payne Cox, 1944, died August 19, 2008. She previously taught at Warren Business College and was a member of North Bloomfield United Methodist Church.

Hazel Keaton Linder, 1944, died July 1, 2009. She was retired after 44 years as a teacher and had received the Teacher of the Year Award in Cherokee County. She was a member of Cherokee Creek Baptist Church, where she was a former Sunday school teacher.

Elizabeth "Libb" Bridgeman Jones, 1944, died June 10, 2009. She was the retired postmistress at Glendale and had also served at Whitney and Spartanburg - with a total of more than 40 years of service. She was a longtime member of Fernwood Baptist Church, and a member of the Pilot Club of Spartanburg, the National League of Postmasters, and the National Association of Postmasters. For many years she was the editor of The Sandlapper, the League's magazine.

Mildred Geddings Whitworth, 1943, died March 30, 2009. She retired as co-manager of Scarboro Auto Accessories after 32 years of service. She was a member of Oakwood Baptist Church and the Alathean Sunday School Class.

Elsie Williams, 1943, died September 24, 2008. She was employed with the Milliken Abbeville Plant from 1943-1995 in the personnel office and was a member of Grace United Methodist Church.

Mary Palmer Murphy, 1943, died May 2, 2008.

Martha Ann Hubbard, 1943, died December 5, 2008, at the Presbyterian Home in Clinton. She had previously worked at Anderson Hospital, Roper Hospital in Charleston, and later the Baptist Hospital in Atlanta, Ga. She retired from the Blood Bank in Tampa, Fla.

Louise Kellett, 1943, died August 5, 2009. She founded Loom Products, Co., Inc. in 1960, which was renamed Kellett Enterprises, Inc. in 1989. She remained owner and president of the company until her retirement in 2004. Louise received numerous honors for and recognitions of her achievements in business. In 1983, she was elected to the Board of Directors of the American Textile Machinery Association, the first woman to serve on this board. In later years she was conferred an honorary Doctor of Laws degree from Anderson University, which she has served on several boards including the Alumni Board, Board of Visitors, and the Foundation Council. Active in civic affairs, Louise was a former member of the Board of Directors of the YWCA Greenville; a member of the Board of Directors and past president of the Altrusa Club International of Greenville; and was a long time member of Christ Church, Episcopal in Greenville.
Nellie Gibson Harvey, 1943, died August 29, 2009. Along with Clarence Bauknight and Tom Roe, she organized Builder Marts of America, where she served in various capacities including Vice Chairman of the Board. Mrs. Harvey formerly served on the Board of Trustees for Anderson University and volunteered for the Greenville Literacy Association. She was a member of Taylors First Baptist Church and served as a Sunday school teacher for over 25 years.

Nancy Payne Gilmer, 1942, died September 28, 2008, following a brief illness. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Anderson, where she attended the Dorcas Sunday School Class.

Hazel Gaines Berthold, 1938, died July 24, 2009.

Geraldine Burckhalter Thompson, 1938, died July 4, 2008. She was a retired teacher's aide for Jonesville Elementary and a member of West Springs Baptist.

James Skelton, Jr., 1938, died July 24, 2008. During World War II, he enlisted as a hospital corpsman, attended Princeton Theological Seminary and, while in the Navy, served as a chaplain in the Pacific Theater. After service he served as a Presbyterian missionary in Brazil and later as chaplain at the Western N.C. Hospital until it closed. He then served as chaplain with the N.C. Division of Youth Services and Juvenile Center. The Chapel there is named in his honor.

Annie Sprawls Geldart, 1938, died May 16, 2009. She previously taught at North Augusta Elementary. She had attended First Baptist of North Augusta since 1942 and served in a variety of teaching roles, particularly as the teacher of the third grade Sunday school class for 39 years.

Marian Brannon Norris, 1937, died February 8, 2009. She had retired as a kindergarten teacher in the Birmingham, Ala., schools and tutored children after her retirement. She was a longtime member of Baptist Church of the Covenant and active as a choir member and a former children's Sunday school teacher.

Mary Frances Minott Burgess, 1937, died November 10, 2008. A lifelong supporter of music and music education, Mary Frances maintained a large private piano studio from the late 1940's until the late 1970's. She was a member of the Anderson Piano Ensemble and the Anderson Music Club, serving as president during 1979-1980; she was active in the Anderson Community Concert Association (forerunner of GAMAC). In addition to being a communicant of Grace Episcopal Church, she served as choir director for decades, retiring in 1985. Also active in community affairs, Mary Frances was a charter member of the Anderson Woman's Club and was a volunteer for Meals on Wheels.
Elizabeth Thompson Martin, 1936, died March 10, 2009. She was a member of Anderson First Baptist Church, the Gleaners Sunday School Class, and the Anderson County Woman's Club.

Teresa "Tecie" Fisher Bryant, 1934, died May 28, 2009. She was co-owner of PickWick Tea Room and was retired from Cochran Jewelry Store. She was a charter member of the V.F.W. #5996 Auxiliary and the Business & Professional Women's Club. She was a member of Anderson First Baptist Church, Gleaners Sunday School Class, Joy Fellowship, and Golden Age senior group.

Claudianna Evans Rice, 1934, died January 17, 2009. As the wife of the late Rear Admiral Joseph Rice, she supported her husband on his many tours, which included having a front row seat during the attack on Pearl Harbor. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Anderson and a longtime member of the Philathea Class.

Lillie Hart Werts, 1932, died June 26, 2009. She was a proud resident of Ninety Six for over 75 years, where she was active in the community as a poll volunteer, an elder in the Ninety Six Presbyterian Church, and a member of many community organizations.

Beulah Tate Brown Hall, 1931, died December 18, 2008. She was a retired school teacher in Anderson County with 40 years of service. She was a member of Flat Rock Presbyterian Church, where she was an elder and taught Sunday School. She was also a volunteer pianist for Flat Rock Baptist Church and Flat Rock Presbyterian Church. In a special ceremony, she unveiled the flat rock for which both churches and the community of Flat Rock were named. She was a Girl Scout Leader and a volunteer for Meals on Wheels.

Mary Eliza White, 1928, died January 24, 2009 at the age of 102. As a lifelong nurse she served her community in the Red Cross during WWII and taught nursing at both Emory University and Anderson Memorial Hospital. She retired from Hart County Hospital as hospital administrator. She was a member of First Presbyterian Church in Anderson.