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Richard and Mariecha McCormick are celebrating their 62nd wedding anniversary Saturday, having wed Feb. 24, 1956. They are parents to 10 children, and are members of First Assembly of God.

McCormicks celebrate 62 years

Richard and Mariecha Bates McCormick were married Feb. 24, 1956, marking 62 years together as man and wife. The couple met with Church of Christ preacher Eston Macon in his home for the ceremony.

Mr. McCormick is a native of Warren County, with his wife coming from

Tullahoma. Together they are parents to 10 children, Betty Jean and Mike Johnson, Garry and Linda McCormick, Jerry and Verna McCormick, Deborah McCormick, Wanda and Robin Wright, Connie and Dale Delong, Melissa McCormick, Tonya and the late Terry McCormick,

Timothy and Virginia McCormick and Tamisha and Carl Burgess.

They have been blessed with 20 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

He retired from Cumberland Lumber Company, after being a lumber inspector for many years. He says getting older has made him enjoy God's creation as he never did before. Mrs. McCormick dedicated much of her life to her children, staying home with them, but later worked at Hardee's. She still enjoys cooking for her family and taking care of them.

They will celebrate their milestone anniversary quietly with family members. They are longtime members of First Assembly of God.

Morrison Library invites public to storytelling event

BY **MARGARET HOBBS**
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Morrison Public Library's 4th annual Hear Tell Storytelling Fest will be held Saturday, March 3 at 10 a.m.

According to library director Bonnie Davis, the topic will be A Southern Waters Tribute. The event will feature author Ria Baker, who is co-author of "Under the Lake," a book featuring historic images and stories of life along the Caney Fork River before the building of the dam in the late 1930s.

Baker is also author of "You Don't Have to be an Eagle to Fly," and

was named Tennessee Press Association's best humor columnist in 2000. Baker served as the mayor of Alexandria for seven years.

"Under the Lake" chronicles four years of research, and will be available for purchase. The 9 x 12-inch hardback book is \$40 each.

Davis ask visitors to bring vintage photos of folks enjoying bodies of water near your home to display and share with others.

The Morrison Public Library is located at 138 West Main Street in Morrison, with hours of operation being Monday through Friday 1 - 5 p.m.

The phone number is 931-635-2060.



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WCGA officers installed



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The Warren County Genealogical Association installed new officers, including, from left, Donna Sullivan, secretary; Cheryl Watson Mingle, president; Marion Rhea Speaks, vice president; and Allen Jaco, treasurer.

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