

# Obituaries

## Joseph Wilton Bandy

EASLEY - Joseph Wilton Bandy, beloved husband and father, passed away Sunday, January 20, 2019.

He was born in Woodbine, Ga. on Nov. 9, 1942 to the late Mr. and Mrs. (Irene McCall) Wilton Claude Bandy. He was a graduate of McCormick High School and Clemson University.

Joe had retired from Albany International, where he had been a sales engineer, and even though his work took him away from home, he would always make the effort to be at home for any event that involved his children.

He was a true Clemson fan and had received a football scholarship to play for the Tigers upon high school graduation. Although he was plagued with kidney disease and unable to play the game, his heart was forever for the Clemson Tigers. He thoroughly enjoyed golfing and fishing with dear friends and held fond memories of golfing trips along South Carolina's coast and trips out west where he trout fished. He treasured hiking to the bottom of the Grand Canyon and riding the rapids of the Colorado River. One of his favorite spots was N. Litchfield Beach, where he enjoyed being with his family. His Heavenly father blessed him with a loving brother who unselfishly donated one of his kidneys so that Joe could experience all these good times, and he was so grateful.

Joe was an active member of Easley First United Methodist Church and cherished the fellowship of the pastors (present and past) and all church members of the Path Finders Sunday School Class for members

25 to 35 years of age.

After a long and hard fight, he graciously passed away and will rejoice in heaven with our Heavenly Father and loved ones who preceded him.

He was predeceased by his brother, John Harvey Bandy; his sister, Harriett Elizabeth Bandy; and his twin sons, Timothy Scott and Christopher Michael Bandy.

He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Sandra Corley Bandy; his sons, Joseph Christian Bandy (Maggie) and Michael Brandon Bandy (Carin); and his daughter, Angela-Leigh Elizabeth Bandy (David). He is also survived by his six grandchildren, whom he dearly loved: Corley and Arielle Marlow, JT and Carter Bandy, Bryce Laboon and Braxton Bandy. Joe is also survived by a sister-in-law, Dorothy Bandy Baggett (Jay); brothers-in-law, Dr. David Corley (Fran) and Edwin Corley (Annie Laura); and nieces and nephews.

Memorial services were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 23, 2019 at Easley First United Methodist Church.

Friends were received in the church activity center immediately after the memorial service.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Easley First United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 589, Easley, SC 29641; or to the charity of one's choice.

Condolences may be expressed online at [www.robinsonfuneral-homes.com](http://www.robinsonfuneral-homes.com) or in person at Robinson Funeral Home-Downtown, Easley, which is assisting the family.

## Tithone Blair

McCORMICK – Tithone Blair, of 822 Dorn Rd., McCormick, departed this life on Jan. 16, 2019 at his home.

Born in McCormick on Aug. 3, 1957, he was the son of the late Willie Bo Blair Sr. and the late Alberta Kate Mars-Blair. Tithone joined the Bethany Baptist Church in McCormick at an early age and later became a member of the Spirit of Life Community Church in 2010, where he held various positions. He was a graduate of McCormick High School Class of 1978, retired from Satterfield Construction of Greenwood and worked part-time at McCormick Recycling Center.

Tithone leaves to cherish his memories his wife Bridget of 29 years; three daughters, Duana Haskell and Maggie Timpson of McCormick and Keshaua Blair of Palm, Calif.; three sons, Johnny Coleman and Octavious Blair of the home and Tetho-

nia Blair Jr. of Cleveland, Ohio; 17 grandchildren, three of whom were reared in the home, Aiden, Eva and Autumn; four sisters, Maebell (Jim) McDuffie, Lynell Blair, Debra McCasline (Larry) and Sandra Terry, all of McCormick; seven brothers, Robert (Emma) Blair Sr., Lonell Blair, Leon Blair, Kenneth Morgan and Wayne Morgan, all of McCormick, James Morgan of Washington, D.C. and Stanley (Lashonda) Price of Charlotte, N.C.; father-in-law, Edward Morton Sr.; a brother-in-law; three sisters-in-law; and other relatives and friends.

Funeral services and interment was held at noon on Monday, Jan. 21 at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church in McCormick with the Rev. Michael Butler and Bishop Donn Lee officiating.

Walker Funeral Home LLC, McCormick, was in charge.

## The MACK: Connecting Through Culture

By Heather McNally

### Juried Art Exhibition

The McCormick Arts Council's 2019 Juried Art Exhibit is scheduled for February 2019. We look forward to your participation! Please plan to deliver your entries on Friday, Jan. 25, Saturday, Jan. 26 or Monday, Jan. 28, between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. The nonrefundable entry fee is \$25 for one entry, \$35 for two entries and \$45 for three entries. Notification of acceptance and artwork pickup will be made upon completion of jurying, by email and/or phone. Please make note of the opening reception on Friday, Feb. 8 from 6 - 8 p.m.

### Community Threads

Thursday, Jan. 31, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Location: Hickory Knob State Resort Park, 1591 Resort Dr, McCormick, SC 29835

Community Threads is a program of the McCormick Arts Council at the Keturah (MACK), and all are welcome. No sewing experience necessary. "Come Stitch With Us!" Regular open sew sessions are held in the Bordeaux Room at Hickory Knob State Resort Park. Bring your project and supplies to enjoy a day of sewing and sharing. Join us for lunch in the restaurant. If you are new to the area, or just want to know more about Community Threads, please contact Belinda at quilting-workshops@gmail.com, or call 843-860-5403.

### Classic Feng Shui Workshop

Presenter: Niiti Gannon  
Monday, Feb. 4, 6 - 7:30 p.m., \$15

You have heard and read about Feng Shui, now why not give it a try. Feng Shui is the ancient art and science of living in harmony with your living space. It aims to harness nature's positive forces and correct its negative ones to promote prosperity, health and wellbeing. In this workshop, you will discover your most auspicious position for sitting and sleeping. You will gain insight into how to balance decor and colors to enhance good energy.

Information on the presenter: Niiti Gannon, before retiring to McCormick, had a consultation business called Wind Water Feng Shui in Wisconsin. Niiti has an advanced certificate of Chinese Classic Feng Shui from American Feng Shui Institute, which is based in California and founded by Master Sang, an internationally renowned Feng Shui Master.

### Drawing is FUNDamental with Helen Hutson

Fridays, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
Beginning in February.  
\$50 members / \$55 nonmembers.

This class returns to the MACK and will continue weekly on Fridays. All levels are welcome. Students are requested to purchase classes in three-week bundles.

## George Holloway

GREENWOOD – George Holloway, 78, of 108 Mims Drive, husband of Jeannette Bartee Holloway, entered into eternal rest on Wednesday, Jan. 9, 2019 at his home.

Born in McCormick, he was the son of the late George Holloway and the late Viola Norman Holloway. He was a truck driver for over 43 years and was a member of Upper Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon, trustee chairman, sexton and assistant superintendent.

He is survived by his wife of the home; two sons, George Holloway of Newark, N.J. and Bryan Holloway of Raleigh, N.C.; six daughters, Regina Holloway of McCormick, Freda (Doug) Cotton of Oxford, N.C., Joyce (James) Holloway of Richmond, Va., Lyvonne Holloway of Fayetteville, N.C., Paula Holloway of Greensboro, N.C. and Jenni-

fer Holloway of Irvington, N.J.; two brothers, Truman (Charlotte) Holloway of Pittsburgh, Pa. and Charles Perrin of Detroit, Mich.; three sisters, Louise H. Franklin of Pittsburgh, Judy Holloway of Detroit and Nellie Burdell of Washington, D.C.; 10 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; one step-son, Kevin Bartee of Yonkers, N.Y.; and other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 13 at Upper Mt. Moriah Baptist Church in McCormick, conducted by Pastor Jimmy Gilchrist. The body was placed in the church at 1 p.m. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

The family was at the home.

Condolences may be sent to [robinson@nctv.com](mailto:robinson@nctv.com).

Robinson & Son Mortuary, Inc. was in charge.

## Daisy Lee Quarles

GREENWOOD – Daisy Lee Quarles, 84, of 104 Harrison Alley, widow of Charlie Quarles, entered into eternal rest on Thursday, Jan. 10, 2019 at the home of a daughter, Carolyn Elijah, in Hodges. She is the daughter of the late James "Joe Bill" Jennings and the late Eunice Hill Jennings. She was preceded in death by two brothers and one sister. She attended Lower Mt. Moriah Baptist Church in her younger years. When her health started to fail, she became a member of Zion Chapel A.M.E. Church.

Surviving are eight sons, Robert Lee Jennings Sr. and Russell Quarles, both of McCormick, Charlie Jennings Jr. of Abbeville and Marvin Jennings, Ricky Quarles, Douglas Quarles, Sherman Quarles and Bryant Quarles, all of Greenwood; five daughters, Carolyn Elijah of Hodges, Patricia Anderson of McCormick and Cynthia Williams, Vernestine

Freeman Sr. and Sally Mae Quarles, all of Greenwood; three brothers, J.C. Jennings and James Harrison Sr., both of Greenwood, and Edward Harrison of Chattanooga, Tenn.; one sister, Dorothy Evans of Honea Path; 42 grandchildren, one reared in the home, Sharon Gaskin; 87 great-grandchildren; 22 great-great-grandchildren; and a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 14 at Lower Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. Arthur Kemp. The body was placed in the church at noon. Burial followed at Zion Chapel A.M.E. Church.

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The family was at a daughter's home, Patricia Anderson, 119 White Dansby Road, McCormick.

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Nick Williams, no. 40, has a rebound and looks to pass downcourt to a teammate.

## Regular season schedule coming to close for MHS basketball teams

By Alicia Harrison

The McCormick Chiefs basketball teams are coming down the home stretch of their regular season.

The Varsity Chiefs have two regular season games left before the playoffs. They play Dixie at home, Friday, Feb. 2 at 6:15 p.m., and at Whitmire, Monday, Feb. 4 at 6:15 p.m.

The Junior Varsity Chiefs have two games left in their regular season. They play Augusta Christian Saturday, Jan. 26 at 1 p.m. in Augusta and Dixie at home Friday, Feb. 2 at 5 p.m.

The Varsity lost to High Point Academy, 81-68. Zi Holloway led the Chiefs with 13 points. The Chiefs then beat the South Carolina School for the Deaf and the Blind, 70-22. Qu'Sondra Wideman led with 18 points.

## SLV Men's Golf Association Results

By Ken Bastow

The Savannah Lakes Men's Golf Association results for Thursday, Jan. 17, are as follows:

Event: Best two balls of four.

First place, 38 under par: Greg Walker, Don Moninger, Robert Scheible and Han Gargie.

Second place, 32 under par: Dick

49-20. Lavar Fambrough topped the scoring with 18 points. McCormick beat Calhoun Falls, 64-26, and Fambrough again led the team with 16 points.

The JV Chiefs lost to High Point Academy, 40-31. Jalen Salliewhite led the Chiefs with 10 points, and Nick Williams contributed nine. They beat Strom Thurmond, 65-35, as Suderian Harrison led the way with 20 points. The Chiefs finally beat Calhoun Falls, 36-30, and Harrison led again with 17 points.

The Lady Chiefs lost to High Point Academy, 55-41. Jordan Brown led the team with 13 points. The Lady Chiefs then beat the South Carolina School for the Deaf and the Blind, 70-22. Qu'Sondra Wideman led with 18 points.

Strout, Keith Wise, Roger Carter and Han Gargie.

Third place, 32 under par: Denise Wise, Matt Weinhardt, Tom Ruffner and Gene Graziano.

Fourth place, 27 under par: Joe McCasland, Bob Schultz, Steve Roberts and Liz Roberts.

## MES all A's Honor Roll Breakfast



McCormick Elementary School's all A's Honor Roll Breakfast for the second nine weeks of the school year was attended by the following students: Brady Hodges, Tiffani Spencer, Asa Bowie, TeKirra Wideman, Lourie Freeman, Chloe Mason, Jakera Belcher, Makenzie Callaham, Faith Bell and Sydney McNally. Also pictured are Nynita Paul, principal and Angie White, assistant principal.

## McCormick School District menu

Monday, Jan. 28. Breakfast: sausage biscuits or cereal, yogurt, fruit cups or fruit juice or milk. Lunch: Chicken on wheat buns or chef salad with chicken and crackers, romaine lettuce, sliced tomatoes, pickles, roasted potatoes, mixed fruit cups, fresh apples and milk.

Tuesday, Jan. 29. Breakfast: Waffles or cereal, yogurt, fruit cups or fruit juice or milk. Lunch: Assorted pizza or chef salad with ham and cheese crackers, side salad, cut corn, fresh strawberry cups, peach crisps and milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 30. Breakfast: Grits and sausage or cereal, yogurt, fruit cups or fruit juice or milk. Lunch: Baked lasagna or chef salad

with chicken, yeast rolls and crackers, broccoli spears, carrots, fresh melons, pear cups and milk.

Thursday, Jan. 31. Breakfast: Blueberry muffins and southern style grits or cereal, yogurt, fruit cups or fruit juice or milk. Lunch: Barbecue pork on buns or chef salad with ham and cheese, dinner rolls and crackers, pinto beans, kale, fresh melons, apricot cups and milk.

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**The McCormick  
Weather  
Report**

By Bob Edmonds

\*Measurements taken at Cedar Hill Rd.

	Lows	Highs	Rain/Etc.
Tuesday, January 15	41°	50°	
Wednesday, January 16	29°	55°	
Thursday, January 17	31°	51°	0.12"
Friday, January 18	44°	57°	
Saturday, January 19	49°	62°	1.25"
Sunday, January 20	42°	51°	
Monday, January 21	27°	44°	

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