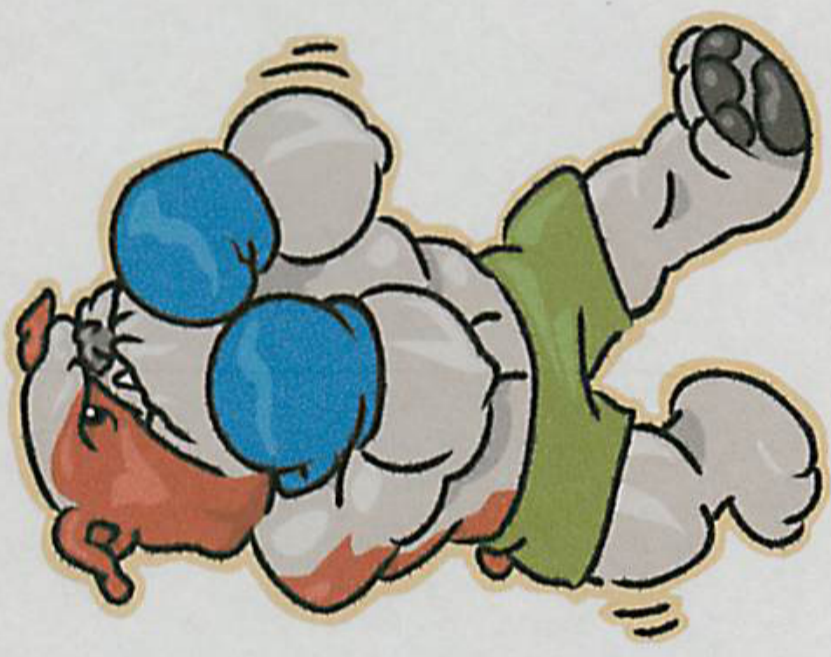


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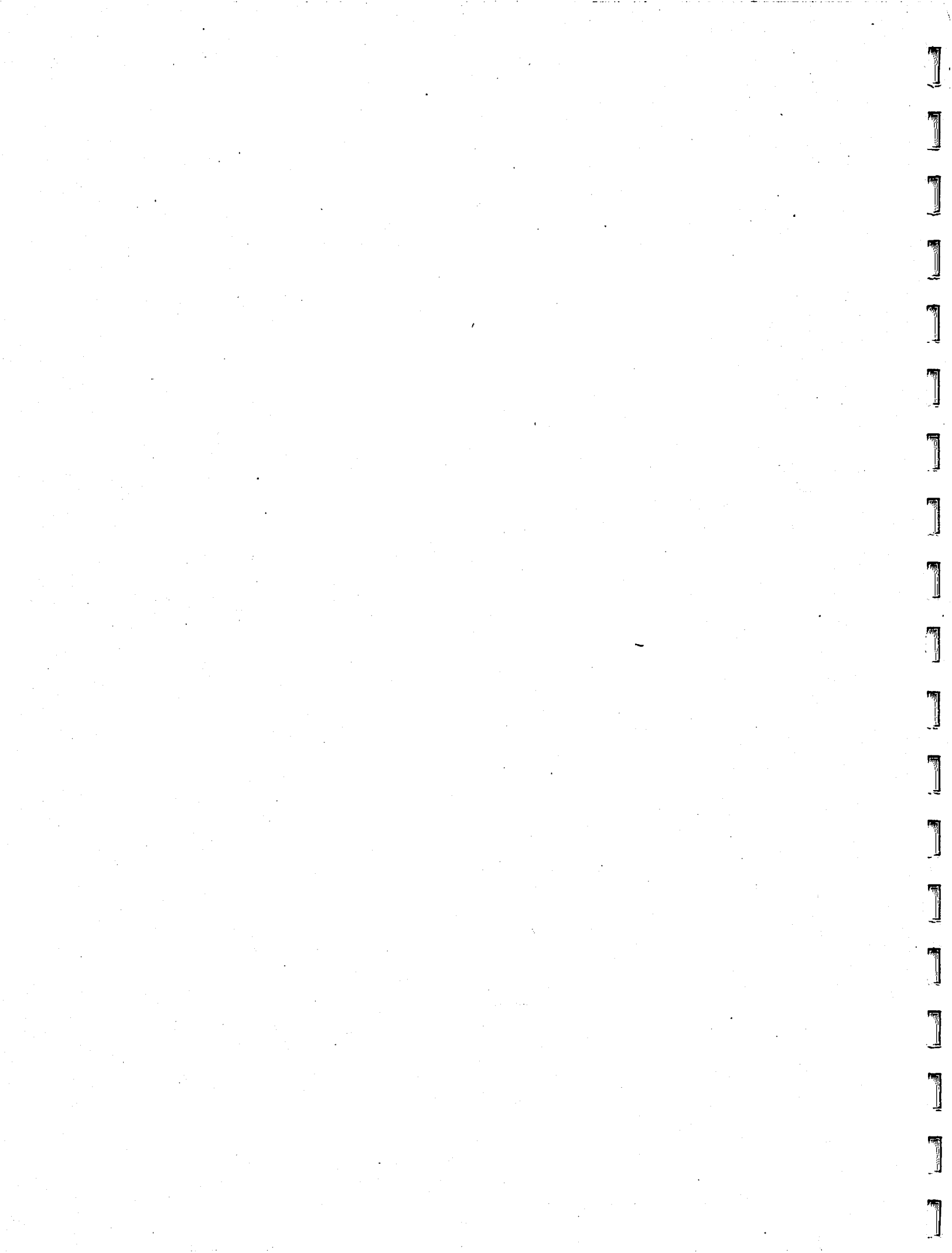
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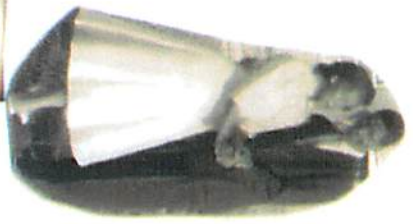
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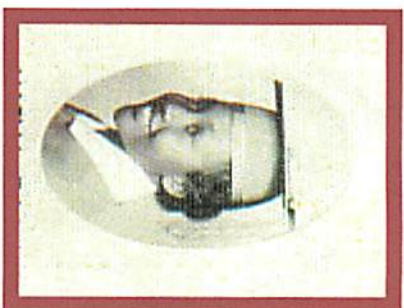
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**Guess Who??**



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## *Maurieta E. Cozart*



*My life has made a complete circle. A few days after graduation from Phillips High School in 1958, I moved to Philadelphia, PA where I attended the William Penn Business Institute with Doris and Loretta. Soon after graduation from William Penn, I was recruited by Standard Oil (currently Exxon Mobil), and started my career with them in Philadelphia, PA that later (1978) took me to Houston, TX. My career with the company allowed me continued education, advancement, travel and lasting friendships. I retired from Exxon Mobil, Houston, TX. December 1999 with 39 years service.*

*In January 2000 I returned to Rocky Mount, NC, and later moved into the home I grew up in and re-united with my home church Morning Star Missionary Church in Battleboro, NC, and settled in to enjoy my retirement. However, I do find time to give back. I volunteer at my church as my Pastor's Administrative Assistant, as well as other ministries.*

*Life has truly been a journey. My last name has changed a couple of time, but I have always favored Cozart. I thank God for my journey of life experiences and the wisdom. I am the proud mother of one daughter Nicole, who lives in California with my two beautiful granddaughters Skylar and Azaria.*

*Being back in NC and retired has allowed me the time to seek out old friends and classmates. This project has been exciting, and I thank all of you for helping to make this booklet of memories what it is. My special thanks to my daughter Nicole for the beautiful poem, and to my adopted sister Deloris Knight for her outstanding work on this booklet.. I hope you will enjoy these memories for years to come. May God continue to bless you and your families.*





## *Louise Battle-Kinzel*



*After graduation I moved to New York City, and worked as a test tube maker for numerous hospitals. I got married and moved to Lowell, MA and there I worked for Raytheon making missiles for the Federal Government.*

*In 1972, I moved back to North Carolina and retired from nursing. In 1982 I began preaching the Gospel, and assisted my husband, Lynn Kinzel as an evangelistic team.*

*I am now an entrepreneur, owning my own boutique, servicing both men and women with an array of high caliber suits, and a small Daycare Center. I am Co-Pastor of the Synagogue of Christ Church in Carthage, NC. We have three children (two girls and one boy).*

*My motto is "The Lord Is Good To Me!"*





## *Delores "Jennie" Ward*

*Since graduating from Phillips High School in 1958, I have remained in the Enfield area, devoting my life to my family and community. I am the proud mother of three adult children: Carol (Pam) of Rocky Mount, Kenneth of Washington, DC, and Lenne" (who recently migrated back to Enfield from New York)*

*I am an active member of the First Baptist Church in Enfield where I have served on several committees. Currently I am serving on the International Mission Ministry and we will be doing Missionary work this summer in Belize.*

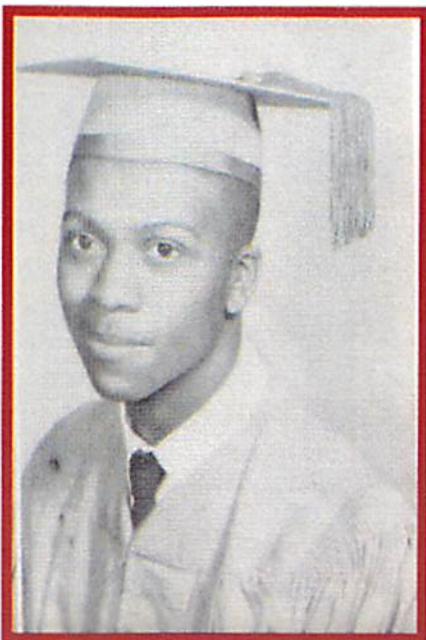
*In my efforts to give back to the community, I volunteered for over fifteen years with the Enfield Rescue Squad. I have spent over forty-five years catering, which is something I truly enjoy.*

*Although past the age of retirement, I continue to work as the Administrative Assistant in the Enfield Police Department where I have been for over twenty-five years. I always have time to give back to the community. For several years, I've assisted in chairing the Enfield Christmas Parade and annual Enfield Peanut Festival. In 2006, I was honored as 'A Lady of Many Hats' by the Enfield Civic Club and served as their Grand Marshall for the Enfield Christmas Parade.*

*My children would love to see me retire and enjoy some quality time traveling, but I tell them, I love the life I'm living. I can still travel - but let me work as long as the Lord gives me strength.*







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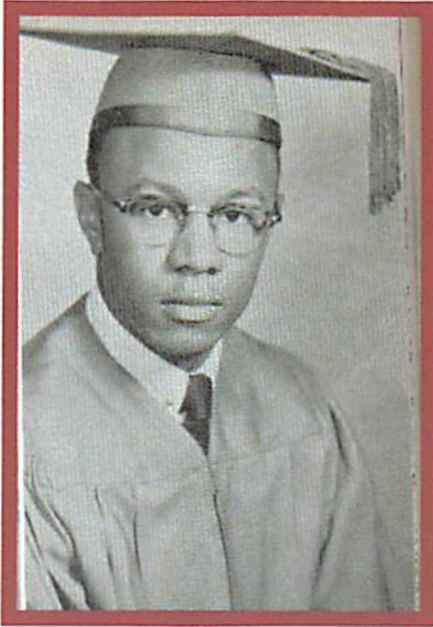
*To my fellow classmates and schoolmates, here is a peak at my life and legacy after graduation.*

*After graduating on May 23, 1958, I left for New York City. I resided there for a couple of months, but wasn't able to adjust to the fast paced City Life. I later returned to Rocky Mount, and began working.*

*On November 1, 1958, I married Milton Ward. We then moved to Washington, DC and from that union we had 2 boys, Siegfried and Milton, Jr. From our sons, we have a total of 10 adorable grandchildren: 6 boys and 4 girls.*

*While in DC, I started to work for Safeway Food Stores, Inc on August 17, 1967 and continued working with them for 36 years. I later re-married in 1979. On August 20, 2003, I retired and am now single and enjoying retirement.*





## *Percy E. Dickens*



*After graduating from Phillips High School in 1958 I remained in the Rocky Mount, N C area and worked for CSL Railroad where I retired in the year of 2000 with 30 years of service. I have been an active member of Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church in Battleboro, NC since childhood, and have been active in various ministries. Currently I am the President of the Users Ministry and Chairman of our Deacons Ministry.*

*Some 45 years ago I met and married my lovely wife Selma. We have four children and three grandchildren. I am enjoying life each and every day better and better. God Bless all of you.*



## ***Mattie Bullack Birth***



*In 1960 I married Earnest Birth, Sr. I am the mother of four children, grandmother of ten, and great grandmother of two. Over the years I worked various jobs (domestic, hospital and industry) most of them were good years.*

*I currently live in Princeville, NC where I have lived for the past 33 years.*

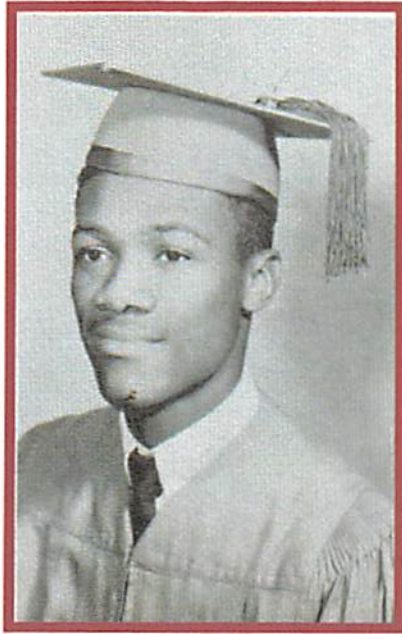


## *Charlie A Statton*



*Two years after graduation I joined the United States Air Force of which I serviced 23 years and retired 1983 from Seymour Johnson AFB as Deputy Fire Chief of Fire Rescue & Emergency Services. In 1984 I was hired into Civil Service with Fort Bragg Fire Department and worked another 23 years and retired again as Lieutenant of Fire Rescue & Emergency Services.*

*At the present my duties consist of a Honey-Do-List, and I spend as much time as I can with my wife, children and grandchildren. We live in Fayetteville, NC.*



## *Willie Daniels*



After graduating from Phillips High School in May 1958, I moved to Newark, NJ. I started working at Fedders Air-Conditioning Company, where I enrolled in their four year apprenticeship school program.

I later met and married June Mackey on April 27, 1963.

I was drafted in the Army in May, 1963 and was inducted on November, 1963, where I served 1 year in Vietnam in Vietnam in the Military Police Combat Battalion. I received the Merit of Counter Insurgent from General Westmorland. I was honorable discharged at the rank of E5 in November 1966.

I retired after 38 years as a toolmaker from Boeing Air Craft in Eddystone, PA, and Precision Specialist in Berlin, NJ. I am presently the Chairman of the Deacon Board at Greater Calvary Baptist Church in Wet Atco, NJ.

My wife, June and I will celebrate our 45<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on April 27, 2008. We have two children. Our daughter is married with two girls ages 11 and 7 years old, and they live in Charlotte, NC. Our son is married with two girls ages 6 and 2 years old, and they live in Fargo, ND.

God Bless You



## *Loetta Mack Watson*



*After graduating from Phillips High School I headed to Philadelphia, PA where I attended The William Penn Business Institute with Doris Lyons Jones and Maurieta Cozart. We graduated together and started our adult lives. I have remained in Philadelphia, PA. The most interesting thing to me that I would like to share with my classmates is that I've given my life to the Lord and I attend the New Temple Baptist Church here in Philadelphia. I am also an Usher and I am the Head Cook at my church.*





*Mary E. Dickens Davis*



*After graduating from Phillips High School, I moved to Washington, DC, and attended Cortez Peters Business School in Washington, DC.*

*In 1963 I married and became the mother of two children, Taney and Alberta. I am the grandmother of two. For twenty two years I was employed by the Mays Company.*

*Currently, I still live in Washington DC. Today I enjoy my family, my church and of course shopping.*







## Annie Bellamy Gilbert



**Psalm 34:** *I will bless the Lord at all times; His praise shall continually be in my mouth*

*I married Larry Gilbert on July 8, 1961. We have three children: Jackie, Donald and Larry Jr., seven grandchildren, and three great grandchildren.*

*I retired from the New York City Board of Education after 36 years of services as a paraprofessional. I am a member of the Gilroy Senior Citizen Center, Tenant Patrol, a member of The Greater Bright Light Missionary Baptist Church, under the leadership of my pastor, H. Devore Chapman where I serve as Vice President of the Missionary Ministry, and also a member of the Trustee Ministry.*

*My hobbies are: Cooking, walking, doing word find puzzles, and listening to my favorite gospel music.*

*I Praise God for all I am and all I hope to be.*

After graduation from Phillips High, I worked with Halifax County School System as a secretary in the Elementary School I attended and under the same principal. After a few years I started working as a Teacher's Assistant. During that time I was honored as "Teacher Assistant of the Year for the county.

In the meantime, I began taking classes at Halifax Community College and later transferred to NC Wesleyan in Rocky Mount, NC where I enrolled in the Early Childhood Education Program. I received by Bachelor of Science Degree in Elementary Education May 8, 1982 with honors.

I continued working in Halifax County, and was transferred to Inboden Elementary School in Enfield, NC where I remained until I retired in 2001 with 35 years of service. During my tenure I was honored for commendable service as Grade Level Chairperson, and Teacher of the Year on two occasions. Currently I live in Tarboro, NC and I am employed part time at Green Acres at 2202 N. Main Street, Tarboro, NC, a produce market owned by my sister and brother-in-law.

*Susie B. Gender*

