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**Funeral Service**  
for  
**Mr. Winckney Dockery Wilson**



**Thursday, April 18, 1996**  
**11:00 A.M.**

**First United Presbyterian Church**  
Charlotte, North Carolina  
**Rev. Gregory M. Busby, Officiating**

## Order of Service

PROCESSIONAL

OPENING HYMN #341 ..... "Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine"

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Old Testament ..... Psalm 91  
New Testament ..... Romans 8:28-39

PRAYER OF SUPPLICATION

WORDS  
SOLO ..... Rudolph Carter

WORDS OF COMFORT ..... Rev. Gregory M. Busby

SOLO ..... "I've Just Seen Jesus" ..... Rebecca Cook-Carter

RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT ..... York Memorial Park

BENEDICTION ..... Rev. Gregory M. Busby



### Acknowledgements

The Family of Mr. Pinckney Dockery Wilson acknowledges with deep gratitude your comforting expressions of sympathy extended them during their bereavement. May God bless each of you as our prayer.

## Obituary

MR. PINCKNEY DOCKERY WILSON, son of the late Carrie Dockery Wilson and Hercules Wilson, was born August 14, 1919, in Morven, North Carolina. He departed this life on Sunday, April 14, 1996 at Presbyterian Hospital, Charlotte, North Carolina.

He grew up in Concord, North Carolina, where he graduated from Logan High School. In 1940, he graduated from Hampton Institute with a degree in Industrial Arts.

During World War II, Pinckney was stationed at H. Eustis, Virginia, where he trained recruits and played trumpet in the Third AARTC band. He was also stationed in Georgia, Kansas, Germany and Greenland, and he retired as a Captain.

Pinckney lived in Greensboro, North Carolina for several years. He was a photographer for Bennett College, a postal worker and owner of a printing business.

In June of 1971, he married Jane Denten Carter, who preceded him in death.

Pinckney was a member of First United Presbyterian Church, Disabled Veterans of America, the Young at Heart Club and the Hampton Alumni Association.

He is survived by two sisters, Helen W. Williams (Wayne H.) of Cincinnati, Ohio and Ruth H. Wilson of Henderson, North Carolina; two sons, Ellis Carter (Rebecca Cook) of Charlotte, North Carolina and Rudolph Carter (Mumbi) of Washington, D.C.; one daughter, Mollie Carter Tillman of Rockaway Park, New York; eight grandchildren, Ellis Carter, II, Michael Carter, Neal Carter, Austin Carter, Kayla Carter, Syeeda Douglas, Randolph Houston (Jennifer) and Dwayne Houston; one great-grandson, Randolph Douglas; one daughter-in-law, Shirley Carter of Rock Hill, South Carolina; two sisters-in-law, Elizabeth Wilson and Ruth Burt, both of Henderson, North Carolina; a special niece, Berryl Twitty; and a life long family friend, Frances Caldwell Phillips.

He was preceded in death by a brother, James Edward and a son, Andrew Carter.



### Solitude

Life is but a stopping place, a pause in what's to be;  
A resting place along the road to sweet eternity.  
We all have different journeys, different paths along the way.  
We all were meant to learn some things,  
But never meant to stay.

Our destination is a place far greater than we know.  
For some, the journey's quicker; for some, the journey's slow.  
But when the journey finally ends, we'll claim a great reward,  
And find an everlasting place together with the Lord