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A New Opportunity for LaDonne

Let me take you back to 2008! I graduated in 2007 from Delta State with a degree in Computer Information Systems. Being in the deep down delta, jobs in this field are limited. I got my first job at Cypress Park Elementary School as a Reading tutor, moved on 2 years later to Bell

Academy as Computer Lab Tech and when I thought I would never get job in my area, I WAS approached about an awesome opportunity as a Technology Integration Specialist at Coahoma Agriculture High School on the campus of Coahoma Community College in which

we have a building named after of ne of our own, Zee Barron!! I am so sorry I will not be able to attend the reunion this year due to my new opportunity!! Psalm 46:10 Be still and know that I am God.

LaDonne Sterling



Colin Outgrows *The Nest*



Colin will finally be leaving Gagi's nest. He will attend daycare in the fall. LaDonne made sure he was the last one Gagi had to nurture.

Colin Jarrell Sterlin is the son of Marcus and laDonne Sterling

Haley Lynn's Comet

Time flies!! Haley Lynn attends Bell Academy School. She is officially a 2nd grader. This year has been a challenge for Haley Lynn. She tested into the Gifted Program, was on the Superintendent's list 3/4 this year (making only one B the entire school year), won 1st place in the reading fair twice, held down soccer and softball all while maintaining church activities. She attended VBS at First Baptist Church. They learned about missionaries and what it is to be a missionary. She had been talking to her parents about attending church now she thinks she is a missionary. This church goes to Africa every year to deliver goods. All the kids were responsible for purchasing an outfit in their size to take to VBS so that these clothes can be taken to Africa. She keeps a BIG smile on her fam-spirit to uplift others!! ily's face.

May GOD continue to use Haley Lynn and allow her



Keith Wilson

Ashley and Reco Edwards (daughter and son in law of Keith Wilson) are the proud new parents of Skylar Jaymes Elise Edwards.



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Etta Waugh



Bryce Harris, son of Natasha Waugh-Harris and Brandon Harris, Grandson of Etta Smith-Waugh and Charles Waugh is preparing to enter kindergarten this fall. He likes getting his picture taken and looks forward to showing his talents on "Dancing with the Stars" soon.

Kaylin Nichols, daughter of Natasha Waugh-Harris, granddaughter of Charles and Etta Smith-Waugh, graduated from middle school this year. The rite of passage was the middle school prom.



Perry Smith, III

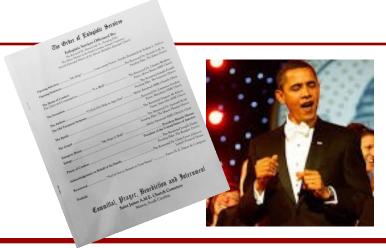
Conni and I spent a week in Miami as I conducted a Revival, the first in 30 years Honors—PNBC Distinguished Pastoral Leadership; Prince George's County S C L C Martin Luther King, Jr Life time achievement Award for Civil Rights; D C P N B C Laymen Award for Excel-

lence in Pastoral Leadership. Conni and I were the guests of the young people of Calvary Baptist Church, Renova, MS as the portrayed that Freedom Rides of 1961. What a joy to preach at Calvary and visit our relatives!!! Incidentally, invited back to Miami this year

I was featured in a full page article in the Washington Post newspaper in January . My civil rights activities were reported on. A complete page in a major paper without killing or robbing anyone!!!...

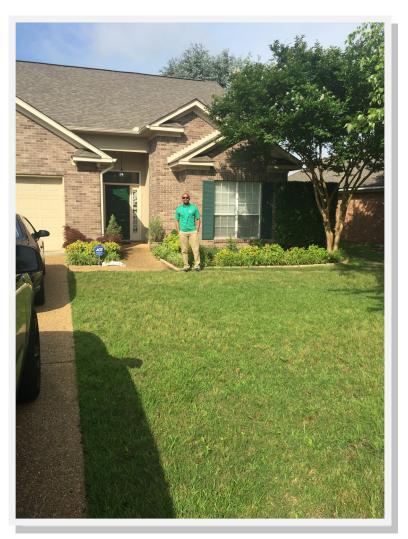
Daniel Smith Jr.

I was present to hear President Obama sing the opening lines of "Amazing Grace" at the end of his eulogy for Rev. Clementa Pinckney in Charleston, SC.



New Home!

Eric Martin "Beau" Barnes, the 29-year-old son of Reginald & Marcia Barnes, grandson of Floyd "Jack" & Pauline Martin and great grandson of Moses "Hemp" & Susie Hubbard-Smith continues to work for the Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries & Parks in Jackson, MS where he is now a Project Manager. The past year brought a lot a great experiences and monumental changes, including many trips. One particular vacation getaway to Puerto Vallarta, Mexico is most memorable. Other milestones: his graphic design business, EMBB DE-SIGNS, LLC. continues to grow; he directed Calvary's Black History production, "Ride On", written by his aunts; a promising relationship with his girlfriend of 1 year and 3 months and the purchase of his FIRST HOME in Brandon, MS! Whew! What a year of blessings and positive change! Eric truly believes that God has placed favor and grace all over his life and is excited about his future.



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Adena & Lawrence

Adena and Lawrence Williams - This was a year of travel for Adena and Lawrence. Adena's leadership and strategy development work took her to most of the eastern, southern and mid-western states. Lawrence's work with the Clorox Company amped up his travel throughout the US and Latin America. We also had a great family vacation in Orlando. Two highpoints of the year: Celebrating Mom's 85th birthday (Alice Smith Risby). Adena enjoyed a cruise with Mom, Edward (Mom's husband), Kelly Jr and Valerie Lin(Adena's brother and sister)) to hon-

or the occasion. Mom and

dance floor every chance they got!! Then family and friends surprised Mom with

Edward were on the

a party in Nashville.

Having a residence hall at Vanderbilt University named for Adena's father (Kelly Smith Sr.) The low points include the passing of our young niece, Maya (Valerie Lin's granddaughter) and losing our sister, Dorothy, just a few weeks ago.



Travis Smith

Travis Smith—son of Rosa Smith and the late Claude Smith, and the grandson of Moses (Hemps) Smith and Susie (Hubbard) Smith—just completed his 38th year of teaching. The last 30 of those at Williams High School in Plano, TX where his bands have been consistent winners of the Texas UIL (University Interscholastic League) Sweepstakes Award. This award is earned by making first division (superior) ratings at UIL Marching, Concert and Sight-reading Contests each year. In addition, his band earned a first division rating at te American Classic Bluebonnet Music Festival in San Antonio this spring and was awarded an Outstanding Performance Award and the Best in Festival Award.

Malika & Greg

We had such a fun year!
Greg, Malika, Khalil and
Amaan spent Thanksgiving
week in Orlando swimming, Disney-ing, and
laughing like crazy with the
Conoly, Wright and Williams families in an awesome shared vacation
home. Where to next year,
Fam? This fabulous week in
the sun accentuated a
year of notable accomplishments. In May, Amaan
was promoted from the

2nd grade with straight As and a basketball championship. Khalil was promoted from the 4th grade with straight As, a Presidential Academic Award and a slew of basketball championships. He's starting middle school in the Fall at University School of Nashville, the school at which his dad coaches basketball, football and track. Greg's middle school basketball team won the HVAC AA championship. Malika was promoted to Deputy Superintendent of the TN Achievement School District. She was the only one not to win a basketball championship. Maybe next year.



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Milestones to Celebrate

Kelly Miller Smith Jr. along with his mother Alice Smith Risby will be traveling to Durban, South Africa July 20-29, 2015 to attend the Baptist World Alliance Congress. They are also planning to visit Cape Town, South Africa as well.

First Baptist Church, Capitol Hill, where Kelly Jr. pastors is celebrating its 150th Anniversary this year. Kelly Jr. is the 20th pastor of the church and will be celebrating his 5th year as pastor in November. His father, Kelly Miller Smith Sr. was the 16th pastor and served as Pastor for 33 years.

Kelly Jr. also went to Beijing China in October 2014 along with Valerie and Lee and on a cruise in November 2014 celebrating mom's 85th Birthday. Kelly Jr. moves into another decade, turning 60 on July 11!!



Sharanda & Evan



Evan Kayland Smith-Erving has graduated from Ravenwood High school!!! He has had an amazing senior year. He was rated one of the top defensive midi in his region for lacrosse. He was also honored for his participation with Top Teens of America and the Middle Tennessee Urban League. This summer Evan was selected to participate in Deloitte's Intern Pro-

gram where he works in ITS (Internal Technology Services). Once he completes his internship he will be attending Fisk University as a freshman in the Fall going into their 5 year MBA program. He will also be a part of the Fisk basketball and soccer team.

Sharanda Nechole Smith started her own public relations company called the Creative Relations PR Group this year. Creative Relations PR currently services those persons in the nonprofit, film and entertainment industry.

Over the last several months she has worked on the TV show Empire, Power, Jefferson Street Jazz & Blues Festival, Middle Tennessee Urban League, and How to get away with Murder. In need of public relations, community relations, or event planning feel free to contact me

at sharanda@creativerelationspr.com orwww.creativerelationspr.com





This year has been full of a lot of prayer and a lot of praise. We have been blessed to celebrate the marriage of several friends; bring back the annual Halloween party with 500 of our closest friends; travel to Aruba, Tahoe, Cabo (deep sea fishing), West Palm Beach, Toronto, Vegas, and some other really fun places; enjoy a dinner with Bill Clinton and Patti LaBelle, see Kyra and Evan graduate from high school, unload a lot of real estate, and most importantly hear God talking to us as loud as possible.

Dorothy Springfield

Dorothy Jean Springfield, the foster daughter of Alice Smith Risby, and foster sister of Joy, Adena, KellyJr. and Valerie Lin, passed away June 19, in Washington, DC. A memorial service for her will be held Sunday, July 12 at 2:00 pm at First Baptist Church Capitol Hill.





Born Tuesday, June 24, 2014

Passed Away Sunday, December 14, 2014 When God calls little children to dwell with Him above.

Maya Kaylin Foster

we mortals always question the wisdom of His love.
For no heartache compares with the death of one small child who does so much to make this world seem wonderful and mild. Perhaps God tires always calling the aged to His fold, And so He picks a rosebud before it can grow old. God knows how much we need them, so He takes but few – to make the land of heaven more beautiful to view. Believing this is difficult, still somehow we must try. The saddest word that mankind knows will always be "goodbye".

And so when little ones depart – we who are left behind must realize how much God loves little children – for angels are hard to find.

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Hayes/Molette Crew News What a Heck of a Year!



LANCE OLIVER MOLETTE

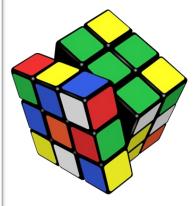
- •Celebrated his 1st Birthday on January 29, 2015
- •Received the Certificate of Bravery for his 1st Haircut on June 2, 2015
- •Can speak Beginner's English
- Drives a Brand New Ferrari
- Avid Swimmer

- •Can 'Do the Whip'
- •Perfect Health Report from Dentist and Doctor
- •Travelled to 16 different U.S. cities
- Passed to the next class at daycare
- •Loves milk, long walks in the rain, and his 'Granddaddy'











DARRELL "MR. MAN" LAMONT HAYES JR.

- Favorite things: Rubik's Cube, PlayStation, Titans Football, Skateboarding, the Beach
- •Won several Medals in Track
- Will Compete in the Jr. Olympics in August for the Pentathlon
- •Officially became a teenager
- Enjoys spending summers at Boarding camp

KYRA LANEECE "EAGLES-NATION" HAYES

- Graduated from Ravenwood High School
- Won several Medals in Field Events
- •Will Compete in the Jr. Olympics in August for the Javelin
- Attended 1st Prom
- Attending Hampton University starting this summer
- •Travelled to Singapore with Grandfather and Cousin
- Bungee Jumped





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VALERIE "MOVERNEST" SMITH HAYES

- •Honored by:
- Harlem YMCA
- •Phi Beta Sigma
- Nashville Business Incubation Center
- Nashville Athena
- Finally made it to China (Singapore, Beijing, and Hong Kong)
- •Skied in Denver (Keystone)
- •Started the Countdown to the big "4-0"
- Enjoy spending quality time with family





__ My Son, Darrell did this!!!!

Valerie Lin Smith Robinson

Girl Stuff!

My daughter, Tameka, was in a head on collision on November 11, 2014... resulting in a plate in her leg and 3 screws.

My daughter, Ebony, will be having her 2nd daughter sometime between now and August 5, 2015. This will bring the grandbaby total to ...11.

Smith~Anderson Hubbard Family Reunion Events

July 10—12, 2015 Cool Springs Marriott 700 Cool Springs Blvd, Franklin, TN 37067 Phone (615) 261-6100

Mobile Phones: Valerie Hayes (615) 260-8662; Kelly Smith Jr.: (615) 717-5900

Friday, July 10, 2015

4:00 PM CHECK-IN: Arabian Room

5:00 PM HAPPY HOUR with heavy hors d'oevoures on us: Lobby Lounge

6:30 PM FRIDAY NIGHT FUN

- 1. 1st Annual SAHFR Shark Tank—Cousin Keenan Robinson has the debut film (PG 13). We have the popcorn. You have the critical and supportive feedback to help Keenan finalize, market and screen his creation worldwide. Bring It! (Arabian Room)
- 2. Game Night (Lobby Lounge)
- 3. Pool Party (Random bathtub or the hotel pool if you'd prefer)
- 4. Chuck E. Cheese (Age 5—13)

Saturday, July 11, 2015

9:30 AM Board Buses for Franklin Tour

10:00 AM FRANKLIN and CIVIL WAR Tour

12 noon LUNCH and EXPLORE Downtown Franklin

- Boxed lunch included

2:30 PM FAMILY MEETING: Arabian Room

- Electronic Communications
- Confirmation of New Reunion Fees
- Easy Payment Plans: Recurring Auto Draft for Reunion Fees
- PayPal Fees
- Scholarship Fund
- Family Office
- T-Shirt Design

6:30PM MEXICAN FIESTA: Terrace and Carriage Room

- Salsa and Line Dancing (Wear Festive Attire)
- High School Scholarship Collection

Sunday, July 12, 2015

9:00 AM Board Buses for Church

10:00 AM WORSHIP:

First Baptist Church Capitol Hill; 625 Rosa L. Parks Blvd, Nashville, TN

11:45 AM FAMILY PICTURE: FBCCH Sanctuary

12 noon DINNER: First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall

1:30 PM Shuttles Depart Church heading to Hotel or Airport