Father Former Pastor at Poston

Quick and Family
Will Serve as Missionaries

The Rev. Earl L. Quick and Patricia Thompson Quick have joined more than 4,200 Southern Baptist foreign mission board workers sharing Christ in 128 countries and among 336 ethnic people groups.

The Quicks were among 61 people appointed by the Foreign Mission Board August 16 during a service at First Baptist Church in Woodstock. The new missionaries fill diverse job assignments, from starting churches to using sports, education and agriculture as tools of ministry.

The Quicks will live in Uruguay, where missionaries have had success using audio visual materials as a means of evangelization as well as reaching people about issues such as abortion and drug use. The Rev. Mr. Quick will start and develop churches and will be involved in a variety of outreach ministries.

The son of the Rev. Leonard Quick and Betty Quick of Midville, he has pastored First Baptist Church in Orchard Hill since 1991. His father is pastor of Bishop Chapel in Summertown.

The Quicks have three children, Emily Julia, Elizabeth Patricia and Ellie Ann. The family is presently at the Foreign Mission Board's training center in Rockville, VA, for a seven-week orientation before leaving for overseas.

(Note: Earl Quick is the third son of the Rev. Leonard Quick who was pastor at Poston Baptist Church from 1959-1965. He led in the organization of East Wallace Baptist Mission which was named Poston Baptist Church, honoring Dr. Eugene Poston who was the first pastor of The Mission.

Rev. Quick has four children. All of whom will be remembered by area residents. The eldest, Terry, is a pastor and is presently ministering at First Baptist Church in Hampton, GA. The daughter Glenda is married to the Rev. Barye Cox and has three sons 17, 15 and 13 years of age. They have been Southern Baptist Missionaries for 10 years and are presently serving on the Ivory Coast, West Africa. The youngest son, Gerard, is a Christian business man and lives in Newnan, GA.

Rev. Leonard Quick and Betty have retired and are presently working with several country churches in their area.

The Poston Baptist Church is proud to know that a former pastor and his family has been able to continue and be successful in the Christian ministry.)