Sulphur Springs Pastor

To Enter Teaching Field

The Rev. Joe Mack Long, pastor of Sulphur Springs Baptist Church since 1960, has resigned his pastorate to accept a position as teacher in the Junior High School in Murfreesboro this fall.

Mr. Long announced his resignation to the congregation at the morning worship service Sunday.

He has served two pastorates in Warren County. From 1949 to 1954 he was pastor of the Cullom Field of Churches, embracing Brown's Baptist Church, Gardner's Baptist Church, and Sulphur Springs Baptist Church. In August, 1960, he returned to Sulphur Springs as pastor after having served six years as pastor of Harrellsville Baptist Church.

Mr. Long is a native of Severn. He was educated at Wake Forest College and at the Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. His first pastorate was at Coats, in 1946, where he served until coming to the Cullom Field in Warren County in 1954.

He is married to the former Miss Roy May Woodard of Severn. They have three daughters, Rachel, Mary and Betty.

During the two pastorates in Warren County, Mrs. Long has been active in church and community life. She has been Youth Choir director, Girls Auxiliary leader, and a member of the Home Demonstration Club.

Mrs. Long has been a teacher of French and English in Littleton High School from 1964-1967. She will teach French in the Northampton High School at Conway for the fall term.
AHOSKIE — Rev. J.M. Long, retired minister of Murfreesboro, will serve as interim pastor of Bethlehem and Wakelon Baptist Churches until a full-time minister can be acquired.

Rev. Ray Craig, pastor of the two churches — one in Bertie and the other in Hertford County — has resigned to accept a pastorate in the Rowan Baptist Association. He will serve at South China Grove Baptist Church.
Rev. Joe M. Long

MURFREESBORO — The Rev. Joe Mack Long, 70, died Saturday in Roanoke-Chowan Hospital. He was a native of Northampton County and the husband of Mrs. Roy May Long.

A funeral was held Monday in Riverside Cemetery, Murfreesboro, by the Rev. Thomas Caulkins. Memorial donations may be made to the Arthritis Foundation.

He was a retired Baptist minister.

Other survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Rachel L. Pierson of Washington, Mrs. Mary L. Cobb of Greensboro, and Mrs. Betty L. Kegerreis of Houston, Tex.; three sisters, Miss Dorothy Long of Murfreesboro, Mrs. Lucille L. Bowles of Como, and Mrs. Mary L. Whitt of West Point, Va.; and two grandchildren.
BAPTIST BIOGRAPHY DATA FORM

Please read carefully the Instruction Sheet and then list the appropriate information as it directs.

1. NAME

   Long (Last) Joe (First) Mack (Second)

   Give full names. For a married woman please put maiden name in parentheses.
   (EXAMPLE: Cole, Mary Ann (Smith)).

2. BIRTH

   Sevem (Place) Northampton (County) N.C. (State) 7/3/10 (Date)

   DEATH

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3. PARENTS

   John Littleberry Long & Carrie Fleetwood Long

   Father's occupation Farmer Mother's occupation Housewife

4. BROTHERS

   ( ) List full names and year of birth

   (Living or deceased) Number

   None

5. SISTERS

   ( ) List full names and year of birth

   (Living or deceased) Number

   Miss Dorothy Long 7/3/05
   Miss Lucille L. Bowles 1/29/08
   Mrs. Mary L. Whit 9/4/19

6. CHILDHOOD RESIDENCE:

   (Please list each residence of 3 years duration or more, up to the time of the 18th birthday)

   Type of Community: Post Office: County: State: Dates:

   Rural (R); town under 2500 pop. (T); city 2500 or more pop. (C). Check one.

   R  T  C

   1920-1928

7. EDUCATION:

   Grammar school: Graduate? Yes ( ) No ( ) Year graduated

   High school: Graduate? Yes ( ) No ( ) Year graduated

   School attended:

   (Name) (Place) (State)

   (Whether graduate or not; if more than one was attended, show the last one.)

   College: Years attended: None ( ) One ( ) 2-3 ( ) Graduate ( )

   Whether graduated or not, list college(s) attended:

   (EXAMPLE: 1935-38)

   Wake Forest College Wake Forest N.C. 1937-41 A.B.

   (Name) (Place) (State) (Years attended) (Degree)

   Graduate-level: List college(s), seminary(ies), etc. attended; earned degrees

   (Name) (Place) (State) (Years attended) (Degree)

   Southern Baptist Louisville Ky 1943-46 M. Div.
8. SPECIAL AWARDS OR RECOGNITION RECEIVED: (Honorary degrees, such as: D.D., Howard College, 1948; citations, such as: Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities, 1939; honorary positions, such as: “Man of the Year”—Pryor, Okla., 1943; etc.)

9. MARITAL INFORMATION:

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<th>Spouse</th>
<th>Birthdate of Spouse</th>
<th>Place of Marriage (Town and State)</th>
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<td>Ray May W. Long</td>
<td>12/14/14</td>
<td>Severn, NC</td>
<td>8/21/34</td>
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<td>(BA Washington University 1946, Magna Cum Laude)</td>
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Number of children (3). List their full names and birthdates: (an example of a married daughter would be: Mrs. John Alan (Mary Lou) Ross, 3-7-1918)

Mrs. David (Rachel W.) Douglas 2/17/47
Miss Mary E. Long 3/6/52, Miss Betty J. Long 5/1/43

10. VOCATIONAL HISTORY (List all vocations, occupations, trades, or professions engaged in for two or more years)

- Pastor Baptist Churches 1944-1947
- Public School Teacher 1941-43 also 1947-1974

11. RELIGIOUS EXPERIENCE:

Conversion 1923, Baptism 1933, Severn Baptist, Severn, NC

List any church, other than Baptist, with which formerly affiliated

Ordained as: Minister ( ), Deacon ( ), Other ( )

12. LOCAL CHURCH ACTIVITY, UNSALARIED (Place the number of years service, in the space provided, for each office ever held.)

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<th>Gen. Supt., Director, President</th>
<th>Dept. Supt., Director, Circle Chm.</th>
<th>Teacher, Counselor, Sponsor, Leader</th>
<th>List below other offices or service, such as: Sec., Assoc. Supt., etc.</th>
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<td>Other ( ) Choir Dir. ( )</td>
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Ch. Committee ( )

List completed Study Course diplomas (indicate related organizations, such as: S.S., T.U., etc.)

13. DENOMINATIONAL SERVICE, UNSALARIED. (Please list positions held in Baptist associations, conventions (state or Southern), national and world-wide organizations, such as; moderator, president, clerk, trustee, board, commission or committee members; etc.)

Example: S.S. Superintendent (Position)

Asst. Clerk
Annual Sermon

Bethel Association (Organization, board, agency, etc.)

West China Association
West China Association

Kentucky (State) 1942-1944 (Date)

N.C. 1952-57

N.C. 1958
14. TO BE FILLED OUT ONLY BY THOSE WHO ARE, OR HAVE BEEN, IN SALARIED CHURCH-RELATED VOCATIONS. (Including pastors, denominational workers, missionaries, ministers of education and music, church secretaries, faculty members or employees of Baptist institutions, agencies, etc.)

**TYPE AND LENGTH OF SERVICE:** List all positions of such service with one or more years of duration; check F (full-time) or P (part-time). Examples:

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<td>pastor</td>
<td>County Line Baptist Church, Turkey Creek, La.</td>
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<td>Poplar Ridge Baptist Church, Bedford, Ky.</td>
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<td>Gardner’s Baptist Church, Raeford, N.C.</td>
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<td>Harrellsville Baptist Church, Harrellsville, N.C.</td>
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<td>pastor</td>
<td>Sulphur Springs Baptist Church, Warrensburg, N.C.</td>
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<td>Teacher</td>
<td>Public Schools - Hertford - Bertie Co’s</td>
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<td>Retired</td>
<td>AT 101 Dequard Drive, Murfreesboro, N.C.</td>
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15. **OTHER TYPES OF RELIGIOUS SERVICE:** (In associations, assemblies, colleges, conventions (state or Southern), national or world-wide meetings, such as: speaker, music director, committee chairman, etc.)

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16. **AUTHORSHIP** (Include books, booklets, lesson courses or curriculum material, and tracts)

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17. **CLUB OR GROUP MEMBERSHIP:** (Service organizations, fraternal, P.T.A., Civic, etc.)

List important positions of leadership held:

Fellowship Club, Coats, N.C. (Chaplain)
Harriett Club, AFJvon-Eiberow, Warren Co., N.C. (Chaplain)

18. **HOBBIES AND LEISURE INTERESTS:**

Favorite: Gardening, Farming
Others: Industrial Arts

19. **PUBLIC SERVICE:** (Military, educational, political, etc. not previously listed)

- Public School Teacher, Vance County, Henderson, N.C. 1941-43
- Public School Teacher, Hertford County, Murfreesboro, N.C. 1947-68
- Public School Teacher, Bertie County, Camden, N.C., 1969-1974
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