

Catawba River B/A Minutes
Dedication 1963

The 1962-1963 Minutes of the 134th Annual Catawba River Baptist Association are dedicated in honor of Mrs. Josie Gibson Quick.

It is with a deep sense of gratitude that we dedicate these Minutes to Mrs. Quick for her contribution to the kingdom of God and her dedication to the cause of Jesus Christ our Lord.



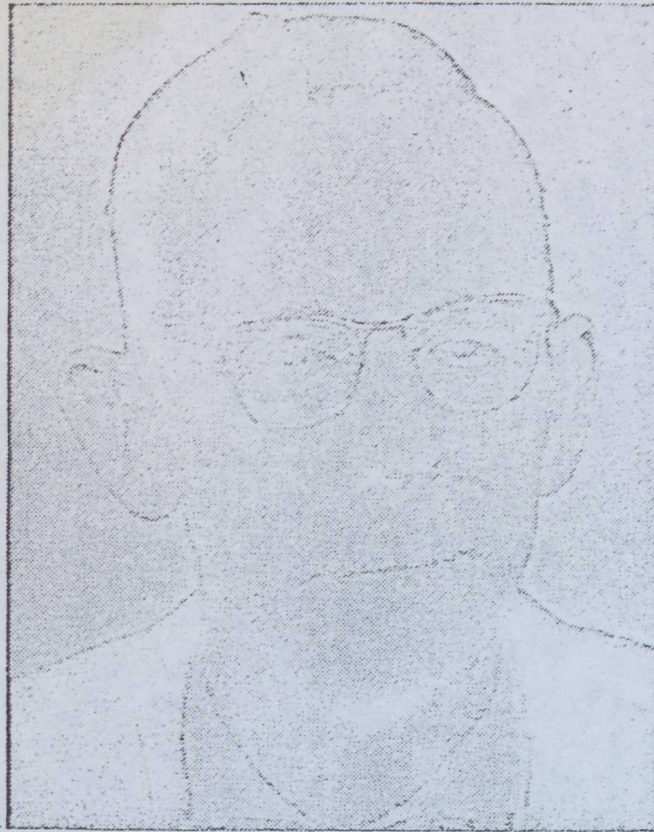
Josie Gibson Quick was born in Gibson, N. C. Her parents were Jessie Monroe Gibson and Annie Elizabeth Peele. She became a Christian at the age of twelve. In 1932 she married the Reverend H. A. Quick and together they served the Lord in Scotland County, Haywood, Buncombe, South Mountain, and Catawba River Associations. Mrs. Quick began working in the Woman's Missionary Union in 1932. She became the President of the W. M. U. in the Catawba River Association in August 1950 and served in that capacity until September 1963. In 1950 there were 75 mission organizations with an enrolment of 1,458. In 1963 there were 183 organizations with 2,725 members. She now serves in the association as Sunbeam Director.

Because she is a woman of faith and vision, even when the way is hard and bewildering, she has been able to guide the mission work with patience and understanding. Mrs. Quick's dedicated life has shed light along our paths, and has proved again "that the art of living is to know how to give one's life."

Thank you, Josie Quick!

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REV. H. A. QUICK

Henry Alton Quick was born August 8, 1895 in Robinson County. His parents were the late J. D. Henry and Annie Jane Quick. He was converted in his early youth and was graduated from Central College, Central, South Carolina. He married Miss Josie Gibson of Gibson, North Carolina, on January 30, 1932.

Ordained at the age of 21, his first pastorate was in Scotland County. He worked fifteen years for Atlantic Coast Line during his early ministry in order to help defray living expenses. He labored for the Lord in Haywood County, Buncombe Association, South Mountain Association before coming to Catawba River Baptist Association. The Lord always blessed his ministry.

Brother Quick was pastor at Catawba Valley for eight years and seven months. Under his ministry a new church was constructed in 1953 and was paid in full just a short time before his death. The debt on the parsonage was paid off. The membership gained steadily from 126 members to 185 members, and the Sunday School likewise climbed from 165 members to 183 members. He always visited the sick and was ready at anytime to be helpful to those in need. We shall always remember how he went about doing his work in such a quiet, modest way. His heart's greatest desire was to keep his laymen active in the Lord's work. Brother Quick passed away March 15, 1958, and certainly he could say along with St. John, Chapter 17, verse 4, "I have glorified Thee on the earth: I have finished the work Thou gavest me to do."

Pastor Dies Of Illness In Hospital

MORGANTON, March 15—The Rev. Henry Alton Quick, 62, for nine years pastor of Catawba Valley Baptist Church near Morganton, died today at Grace Hospital after a 10-day illness of pneumonia.

Funeral services will be conducted at Catawba Valley Church Sunday at 4 p.m. Officiating will be the Rev. W. C. Bearden of Morganton, the Rev. Paul Wilson of Lenoir, and the Rev. T. W. Hearne of Monroe.

Graveside services will be held Monday at 3 p.m. at Hillside Cemetery at Laurinburg, where burial will be with Masonic rites.

The Rev. Mr. Quick, a native of Robeson County, had served Baptist pastorates in Buncombe, Haywood, Cleveland and Lincoln counties as well as in Eastern North Carolina.

He was a 32nd degree Mason, member of Oasis Temple of Shrine, Knights Templar, Royal Arch Masons, and chaplain of Morganton's Masonic Lodge.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Josie Gibson Quick; one sister, Mrs. Robert Wineacht of Baltimore, Md.; one half-brother, W. R. Quick of Laurinburg.

ROBERT H. CUMMINGS

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