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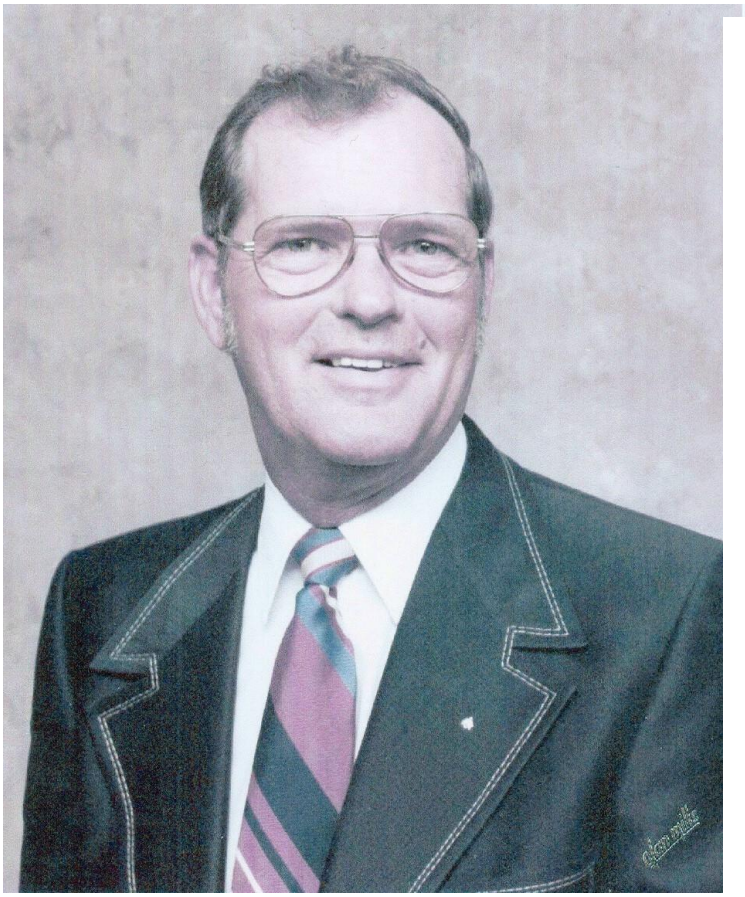

Walt as Mayor of Crawley, TX
May 1981 – Age 53

WALTON G. ELLER

Our spotlight on an Eller Family Member this month is on Walton G. Eller. His wife, Nancy Eller, has supplied us with a Biography on pages 7 - 14 of this publication.

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Message from the President…

Greeting's from North Georgia. We have had spring like weather for the past three days (over 70 degrees)! We had about two inches of rain last night and we sure needed it. We have been in a very bad drought for the past eighteen months.

I have been going through old pictures and papers. I found a picture of my uncle Robert Eller of Blairsville, Georgia which I made on his birthday when he turned eighty in 1996. I went to his house and took him out for lunch at the Smith House in Dahlonega, Georgia. (If you have not been to the Smith House you have missed a real treat) In the picture to the left, he locked his arms around his TV antenna and held his body straight out until I took the picture. If anyone can do this… get us a picture and we will put it in the Chronicles. My Uncle Robert passed away in 2004 at the age of eighty eight.

We have had some of our DNA projects to match up. We got a 99% match on Roger Eller and Lynn Eller. We also have a perfect 12 marker match on Walt Eller to a James Maurice Eller. We have not yet been able to contact him.

Ed Eller

I want to remind everyone we need your articles on you for our next chronicles. Thank you in advance.

…from the desk of the Secretary/Treasurer

It is truly amazing what technological and scientific achievements have taken place during our lifetime. There are many inventions of new products and services which we use in our everyday life that have occurred which we take for granted. If we were suddenly without everything that has been developed in the last three quarters of a century, we would think that we were in the dark ages. This DNA science really blows my mind. (It could be that it doesn't take very much to do that.) About two months ago I made swabbings of the inside of my mouth and sent them to a laboratory for analysis. I received a report of the results a few days ago, saying that another individual, who had also had his DNA taken, and I was a 99% match. On further review of this report, this match happens to be Lynn Eller. Evidently, the system works because we are both George Michael descendants. This DNA science is still in its early stages, and no telling how far this technology will go.

Julia, our Historian, reports that the scrapbook of the 2007 Akron Conference has been completed and has been sent to the EFA repository at the Rowan County Library. She thanks all of you who sent photos and information of the conference.

Roger Eller, Secretary/Treasurer

The Eller Family Association
Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Directors
January 13, 2008

The Board of Directors of the Eller Family Association met January 13, 2008 at 9:00 P.M. Eastern time via telephone hookup. The following members of the Board were present: President Ed Eller, Directors; Joe R. Eller, Nancy Eller, Thomas J. Eller, Lois Hardy, and Editor Randy Poplin, and Secretary/Treasurer Roger Eller.

President Ed welcomed everyone, expressed appreciation for their presence, and called the meeting to order. He called on Tom to make a report regarding the DNA project. Tom noted that about half dozen kits have been submitted, not all of which have been completed or reported on yet. Tom surmised that we will probably need to cast a broader net before we get matches. He said that we have a request from someone by the name of *Ellerin* who asks to be a part of the DNA study to see if some connection can be made.

Roger made a report on the membership. He stated that we continue to lose more members due to death or non payment of dues than we are getting in new members. We mailed 144 newsletters in December, of which 138 were to individual members and six to libraries or genealogy organizations. Dues notices were sent to all who were not either life members or had already paid 2008 dues. Roger said that twenty two checks have been received since the newsletter was mailed. President Ed implored the board members to sponsor someone to a membership, and to continue to recruit new members.

Randy, making a report about the *Chronicles,* said that he has received nothing yet with which to start compiling the February issue. Several ideas and suggestions were discussed; however, Ed said that each one of us should get busy and write an article. The web site was discussed next, noting that there are several sites which are not up to date. Tom indicated that he is still being forwarded email that should go to the president. Ed said that he will talk to Eric about getting some more work done.

Next, Ed said that he had asked Lynn Eller, Chairperson of the Nominating Committee, to make a recommendation to the Board pursuant to the board appointing someone to replace George E. Eller, who passed away in November. Fred Bame, of Colfax, North Carolina, was duly nominated and unanimously appointed to fill the vacancy.

Tom informed the Board that their son, Robert, a doctor in the Air Force specializing in head and neck surgery, is presently serving in Iraq, and that they will appreciate our keeping him in our thoughts and prayers.

Lois said that she will contact Karen Pelzman to help her with planning of the 2009 conference. Ed said that he plans to be in Nashville within the next month, and that he will see her and ask her to join us on subsequent board meetings.
There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:48.

Respectfully submitted, Roger Eller, Secretary

…from the desk of the Eller Chronicles Editor

Greetings Eller family! It has been so exciting getting to communicate with you all while collection data for the Eller Chronicles! So many of you have such interesting biographies and photos of your ancestors!

Please continue to forward me anything you would like to have published within the Eller Chronicles. Suggestions would include:

- ***Photos of your family or ancestors***
- ***A biography on yourself or your family Matriarch/Patriarch***
- ***An editorial on how you became interested in genealogy***
- ***Some genealogy tips that have helped you with your research***
- ***Reviews of books/publications that you have read that have been helpful in your family research***
- ***The list goes on….***

Thank's again for asking me to be your Chronicles Editor! I am really enjoying doing it!

Randy Poplin

Please forward all submissions to: rpoplin@dutil.com or mail to me at Randy Poplin, 1911 Tara Place, Dalton GA 30720.

Chronicles contribution from Karen Eller and Bud (Nesbert) Eller

My husband and I were delighted you highlighted the "Eller Teachers" website in the Eller chronicles. If you hear from other Eller teachers that would like to be profiled, please let us know! We are members of the Eller Family Association. My husband, Bud (Nesbert) Eller, is part of the Sukie family who ended up in Hiawassee. His father was Alfred. I developed the site in conjunction with earning my Ed.S. in Instructional Technology. Now my grandson, Jeff Eller, does more with it than I do.

One of our 2008 goals is to chronicle some of the lives of Bud's aunts. We will send you the information when we get it together. I personally think my husband's life should be told, but I'll have to get his permission! :)

Thanks again for finding us!
Karen

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Shortly after I married my husband, *N. H. (Bud) Eller*, his aunt, *Myrtle Eller Tilley*, presented me with a broken slate that said, "Unbroken line of Eller teachers from 1870 - ??" She was ending her career of 50 years teaching in Georgia schools. Twenty-five of those years were spent trekking up into the hills of Georgia to teach in one-room schoolhouses, going where no one else would go. She said she and her mule had long talks about students and lessons. One of her students in Cartersville, Joe Frank Harris, would go on to become governor of Georgia.

Aunt Myrtle loved teaching. The living room in her home boasted of 8 x 10 black and white, framed pictures of the Presidents of the United States. Along with the books in her bookcases were rocks, minerals, and fossils that she had used to teach. At family reunions, she did not gather with the rest of the women to swap recipes, she was talking with the younger generation about their studies and what they wanted to do in life.

As much as she loved teaching, she, too, had followed people into the profession. Her older sister, *Minta*, and older brother, my husband's father, *Fred*, had also taught in Georgia schools. After teaching children during the

week, Fred would teach older adults how to read and write on Saturdays in their home. Bud remembers Saturday night cakewalks at the church which doubled as a schoolhouse in the Forsythe County, Georgia, area. They had an Aladdin's Lamp that was carried to the church to provide light because electric light had not yet come to the community in the early days of the Great Depression.

Fred, Minta, and Myrtle followed their father, *Alfred Eller*, in the teaching vocation. He taught for 55 years in small one-room schools such as Skataway and Plum Orchard near Hiawassee. His picture appeared in the Atlanta Journal Constitution in 1941(See below). Today the article is framed and resides in the one-room schoolhouse on the Hiawassee Fairgrounds in Hiawassee, Georgia, not far from where he and his wife raised their eleven children.

Today, our grandchildren have followed the path laid by their ancestors. Jeff (seventh grade biology), his wife Karen (3rd grade), and I (fifth grade) teach in Fayette County schools while Jeff's sister Erin Eller Miller teaches English at Franklinton High School in Franklinton, North Carolina. More information on current Eller teachers can be found at www.ellerteachers.com.

Submitted by
Karen Eller

A personal note...

Randy:

I don't know whether you can use the enclosed picture or not. It was taken when Walt retired from the Navy in Sept of 1965. The other picture was taken to hang in Crowley City Hall - He was Mayor from 1981 thru 1989. Also a picture of Walt

A personal note...

an his mother

Walt + Mother - Iola Fern Eller

April 1948 - age 19

Retired from Navy

Sept 1965 - age 36

Mayor of Crowley

May 1981 - age 53

Bio of Walton G. Eller

Born December 9, 1928, the third son of Alvis Guthrie and Ida Fern Francisco Eller. Was born at home at 728 E. Powell Street, Fort Worth, Texas. Oldest brother was Alvis Guthrie (Pete) Eller, Jr., born November 5, 1924, Fort Worth, Texas. Second son was Charles Kenneth Eugene Eller, born November 29, 1926, Fort Worth, Texas. After living a couple different places in Fort Worth we finally moved to 828 Atlanta Street just a few blocks where I was born. I went to the newly completed Morningside Elementary School for the first six years of schooling. After that I went to Jennings Junior High School. In February 1942 we moved to Kennedale where I attended High School. I wanted to get involved in the war effort, and at 16 years old I joined the Civil Air Patrol. While attending High School I worked at the U.S. Post Office, Fort Worth as a War-Time Sub from December 1944 until I joined the U.S. Navy December 12, 1945. I worked after school week days and weekends. I was sent to the Naval Training, San Diego, California for Boot Camp. Since World War II was over our recruit training was cut short so we could replace those wanting to get home after the war. Our company was selected to test life jackets at Mission Beach for 72 hours without the jackets getting out of the water, our recruit training was shortened again, so we only had eight weeks rather the than regular 12 weeks. We were all transferred to the Naval Receiving Station, Navy 128, Pearl Harbor as reliefs for those who signed up for the duration of the war and six months. While waiting for assignment a couple of guys from a submarine squadron staff ask if we would like to be assigned submarine duty. We said yes. These two guys wanted to go home and were told if they could find qualified reliefs, they could get discharged and go home. I was transferred to the Staff of Submarine Squadron FIVE, Pearl Harbor. That was in March 1946. I was transferred back to San Diego for Yeoman School. After sixteen weeks of Yeoman School, I was transferred back to Submarine Squadron FIVE, Staff where I was advanced to S1Y. I was then transferred to Submarine Division FIFTY-TWO, Staff. When I became eligible for Third Class the requirement

was that you had be Qualified in Submarines before advancing to Third Class (E-4). I asked the Division Commander if I could go on the next Division submarine going to WestPac to get qualified. In October 1947 I was transferred to the USS SEA DEVIL (SS400) for a simulated war patrol and to get Qualified in Submarines. On this simulated war patrol, we were to see and hear and not be seen or heard. We were first scheduled to make port in Australia, but our orders got changed to make a humanitarian stop at a south pacific island KapaTakaRanga. We dropped off food supplies to these island people in that they were in dire need of food. We then went to Hong Kong, China for about seven days. Then to Tsingtao, China for a few days. From there to Okinawa for Thanksgiving and recreation. From there to Yokouska, Japan for Christmas. Then to Midway Island for refueling and we arrived back in Pearl Harbor on January 8, 1948 at which time I was designated "Qualified in Submarines" and was transferred back to Submarine Division FIFTY-TWO, Staff and was immediately advanced to YN3(SS). Not having been home on leave for some time, I requested and was granted 45 days leave back in the states. The SEA DEVIL was scheduled a return to the states for shipyard work so in April 1948, I was transferred back to SEA DEVIL to ride her back to the states for leave. After the 45 days leave, I went back to Mare Island, California and was flown back to Pearl Harbor to Submarine Division FIFTY-TWO, Staff. In June 1948 the Bureau of Naval Personnel requested lower bracketed Yeoman in the Submarines to volunteer for duty in the Air Arm of the Navy. The Submarine Force was over loaded in lower bracketed Yeoman. The request was for five volunteers. Needless to say no one volunteered. So the Bureau sent out s mandatory quota two to be transferred to the U.S. Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, Tennessee. I personally knew the Yeoman on the USS TILEFISH was from Memphis and I volunteered him and myself to go the Memphis. At that time I only had a year and half left in the Navy so why not do it Memphis. While there, the Navy was doing some revamping, so I was transferred to the Naval Air Station, Memphis. While in Memphis I was home over a weekend and met a girl from Ohio who was visiting friends in Fort Worth. I took leave to go to Ohio to see and meet the

parents of this girl. Things didn't work out and that's when I met Nancy. We met on a Friday night at the skating rink in Minerva, Ohio in November 1948. She came to Texas in December that year to met my folks and three months later we were married. We lived in Memphis until I was discharged in September 1949. We came to Fort Worth to live and I was to get a job. I was going to apply at the Post Office where I worked before I went into the Navy, but the waiting list was very long, so I went to work selling produce refrigeration. Since this a commission job, it didn't last long. I went to work for General Motors Parts Division in Fort Worth. It was a good job and I worked exactly 30 days and a Steel strike came along and since I was one of the junior new hires I was laid off. I was to keep in touch with them for recall. I knew one place that didn't have strikes, so I went back into the Navy and to make a career of it. One week after I went back in the Navy, I was called to go back to work at General Motors. When we left Fort Worth to go to Ohio Nancy was eight months pregnant and we drove to Ohio with a short stay over in Memphis. We arrived in Minerva and the next day our son, Walton G. Eller, Jr. was born wee hours in the morning of December 3, 1949 with about 3 feet of snow outside. He came so fast that he was born at home five weeks early. I went back in the Navy on December 7, 1949 in Canton, Ohio then to Pittsburgh, Pa. I received orders to the USS BENNER (DDR-807) which was in overhaul in Norfolk, Va. When I reenlisted I was YN2(SS). After overhaul the BENNER went to Cuba for retraining. After retraining we went to the Mediterranean for six months. In June 1950 while in the Med, the Korean War started and we received orders to the Yellow Sea, but before they went effect, they were cancelled and we were replaced by another destroyer division. We were glad of that. We returned back to the states in October 1950 at which time I was advanced to YN1(SS) and in November I requested and returned to submarine duty. I was ordered to the USS FLYING FISH (AGSS-229) in New London, Conn. While on the FLYING FISH we were perfecting the sound that was to be installed and used one the first Nuclear submarine Nautilus. We made a couple of trip to Bermuda and was getting ready for a cold weather test to the Artic when I was transferred to Recruiting duty

in February 1952. I was transferred to NTC, San Diego for recruiter training for recruiting duty in Houston, Texas. While there our first daughter, Sharon Lee was born. Also I had the time and opportunity to further my education. I successfully completed my High School GED, College Level GED, and Two Year College Level GED. In November 1954 I was advanced to YNC(SS). I portioned and was excepted in the Masonic Order and became a Third Degree Mason. After three and half years, in November 1955 I was transferred back the submarine force, the USS RONQUIL (SS-396) home ported in San Diego, California. In June 1957 was transferred to the Staff, Commander Submarine Division THIRTY-ONE on board USS SPERRY (AS-12) in San Diego. While on the RONQUIL we operated with submarines in the squadron and surface craft in training exercises to keep up proficiency. In April 1958 I was transferred to another tour of recruiting duty. This time to Cleveland, Ohio. While in Cleveland I advanced to YNCS(SS) in 1959 and advanced to YNCM(SS) in 1960. I also applied for and was excepted in Naval Intelligence. After leaving recruiting duty in Cleveland, I was assigned to U.S. Naval Intelligence Support Unit, Subic Bay, Philippines for two year. Having only one year to complete before retirement, I was transferred to the Staff, Commander Submarine Squadron THREE, San Diego, California. I started my career there and ended there. I retired September 10, 1965 and have lived at 500 E. Mission Street, Crowley, TX ever since. Actually in June 1965 we came back to Texas to find a place to live and get the three kids in school. As soon as school was out in California we came back to Texas. Not knowing what I was going to do to make a living while in San Diego, with permission of my Commanding Officer, I joined the San Diego County Sheriff Reserve and completed their sixteen week training and was sworn in as a San Diego County Sheriff Reserve. I thought I might pursue law enforcement when I retire. Instead I went into insurance claims adjusting. I did this for 5 ½ years and lost faith in humanity. I felt surely there was a better way to make a living. After that I went to work for the City of Crowley for 1 ½ years. Owned and operated the Texaco Service Station in Crowley for six year and retired. It was time for our youngest daughter to go to college, so I had to go

back to work. I went work at Aztec Mfg Company in Crowley. In 1981 I ran for and was elected Mayor of The City of Crowley. I was a fulltime paid Mayor and Administrator for eight years. After four strokes I finally retired in 1989. After retiring, I did my fair share of hunting and fishing. As a matter of fact, thanks to our son, I made a once in a life time trip to Africa on a hunting safari. It was a seven day hunt with two days going and two days coming back home. That seven days went awfully fast. We brought back several exotic animals (mounts). Quite a trip and experience. I'd guess you could say I've been almost every place in the world. I feel like I have. After retiring I was able to go fishing and hunting as often as I could. After the first three strokes, I quit smoking. For about 10 years my health stayed pretty good, until 1999, my carotid arties had to be roto rooted out. Then in 2004 I had triple by-pass open heart surgery. In 2005 I had congestive heart failure, and in September of that year I received a three in one implant. A pacemaker, defebulator, and heart regulator. I have been doing pretty well health wise. Other than my eyes. I had cataract surgery on my left eye which didn't turn out like it should, but I was told by the eye doctor that occurs about one in a thousand. Before he did the right eye, I asked him how many operations he had done since the did the left one, he said about 500, so I let him do the right eye, which is fine and I've had no problems. I am still able to fish and hunt. I am getting prepared to go spring turkey hunting in a couple of months.

Walt and his Mother, Lola Fern Eller
April 1948, Age 19

Retired from Navy in Sept. 1965 – Age 36

An Introduction of Fred Bame…our new EFA Board Member!

My name is Fred Bame and I am from the John Jacob Eller line. First, I will tell you about the house I live in. It was built around 1740 by Isaac and Phoebe Stroud Beeson. They were both Quaker ministers. The house was used as a hospital during the Revolutionary and Civil Wars. A picture is attached. The house is part brick which is handmade on the property, and part hand hewn logs. Part of the log part dates to 1710.

I was married to Judy Sharp Bame on February 20, 1971. She passed away March 19, 2005. I have one child, a daughter, born on my 34th birthday, on December 10, 1975. She is married to Andy Bowlin. They were married July 17, 1999. I have one granddaughter, Morgan Rebekah Bowlin. Who was born on April 4, 2001.

A little about my line... My dad was Lee Columbus, Sr. and my mom was Marie Johnson Bame, both deceased. I am linked to the Eller's through my grandmother Bame. Her name was Frances Elizabeth Eller Bame and she was married to Milas Columbus Bame. Her dad was William Stokes Eller and her mother was Mary Jane Wagoner Eller. William Stokes Eller's dad was Alexander Eller. All of the information on Alexander Eller is in the John Jacob Eller book. My Eller line has always lived in the Salisbury, NC and Rowan, NC area. Anyone that receives the Chronicle and would be interested in talking to me can call me at 336-638-6014 (home) or 336-508-3918 (cell).

Sincerely,

Fred Bame

Five Generations of Myrtie Eller Lance Family

Family celebrates 5 generations

On October 21, 2007, Stella Lee Zimmerman was born in Canton, Ohio to Brian and Lindsay Zimmerman. Lindsay is the daughter of Dennis Lemons of Canton, Ohio and the Granddaughter of Betty Lance Snyder who resides on Ginsing Drive, Vass, North Carolina. Betty's mother, Myrtie Eller Lance is still living at the age of 95 and maintains her own apartment in Akron, Ohio. Pictured (below) (above) are Myrtie Eller Lance, Betty Lance Snyder, Dennis Lemons, Lindsay Zimmerman and baby Stella.

A Note from Tom Eller…

The Eller Family Association (EFA) is sponsoring a genetic DNA project to confirm the traditional genealogy already done by our colleagues and to help other Ellers determine their lines. The EFA is doing this project in conjunction with World Families Network and Family Tree DNA, Inc., who performs the testing and maintains the worldwide database of test results.

Our strategy is to provide a baseline based on DNA from one or more living male Ellers from each of the fine immigrant Ellers—George Michael, John Jacob, Christian, Henry, and John Melchior. We plan to get a 67-marker DNA test on each member of the baseline group.

In the meantime, **should you choose to get a DNA test done on yourself to compare with our baseline**, and if you agree to provide your DNA sample and share the results with our project, please proceed as follows:

- On the web, go to http://www.eller.org
- Click Link to Eller DNA Project, then click "here to order a DNA test now"
- Fill-in your contact information
- Select the Y-DNA67 test.
- Provide your credit card information.

You can get information on our project at the World Families Network Forum links. FTDNA will assign you a number and send you a DNA collection kit. You collect your DNA and return the samples to FTDNA. Six or eight weeks later you will receive your results and I will be notified that your results have been added to our project data.

Once we get the baseline data established, we will encourage other Ellers to provide DNA samples for our project. Ultimately we want to expand the project to include Ellers in Brazil, Estonia, Germany, and Italy or wherever they may be found.

Thomas J. Eller
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WELCOME NEW MEMBERS TO THE ELLER FAMILY ASSOCIATION!

Clyde Eller
P O Box 1
Fort Dick, CA 95538

Clyde's son, Kenneth (Kenny), has become very interested in genealogy and in finding more information about his ancestry. Clyde's father was George Carl Eller, born 1901 in Purlear/Millers Creek, North Carolina. George Carl married Lesie Church.

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Kim S. Eller
7313 Stoneleigh Drive
Harahan, LA 70123

Her earliest known ancestor;
Matthes Eller 1585-1610, Koenigsburg, East Prussia, Germany
Allied family names which she is researching includes:
Pence, Triplett, Shields, Pennington, Dick, Walsh, Profitt, Huels

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Obituaries

MR. CLINTON EDWARD BURNETTE

Mr. Clinton Edward Burnette, 73, of Resaca, GA, passed away, Tuesday, Dec. 8, 2008, at Hamilton Medical Center. He was the brother of Betty Burnette Eller and brother-in-law of Edward K. Eller.

He was the son of the late Fate Edward and Effie Lou Gray Burnette and was preceded in death by the mother of his children, VanDora Burnette; daughter, Susan Burnette; sister, Shirley Hair; grandchildren, Anthony Ciesielski and Ashley Ciesielski; brothers-in-law, Bill Richardson and Jerry Callahan. He was a member if Bethlehem Baptist Church.

Clinton is survived by his wife, Gloria Whitfield Burnette of Resaca; sons and daughters-in-law, Ron and Joyce Burnette of Dalton, Scott and Tonya Burnette of Calhoun; daughter and son-in-law, Lisa and Greg Ciesielski of North Carolina; brother and sister-in-law, James and Pat Burnette of Chatsworth; sister and brother-in-law, Betty and Ed Eller of Dalton, Sue Callahan of Jasper and Maribelle Richardson; mother-in-law and father-in-law, Alice and Bobby Ray of Calhoun; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Randy and Karen Whitfield of Dalton, Rickey and Beverly Whitfield of Adairsville, Mike and Diane Woodward, Tim and Lynn Wilson and Jeff Whitfield all of Calhoun; stepsons, Chad Bell, Stacy Bell and Doug Bell all of Calhoun; grandchildren, Jason and Brianna Burnette, Heather and Russell Thomas, Ryan Burnette, Julie Burnette, Tyler Bell, Kim Bell and Hannah Bell; great-grandchild Will Thomas; nieces and nephews.

Services were in the chapel of Love Funeral Home with the Rev. Jacky Waits officiating. Love Funeral Home, 1402 N. Thornton Ave., Dalton is in charge of arrangements.

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UPDATED ELLER FAMILY ASSOCIATION LISTING - 2008

ELLER	**FAMILY**	**ASSOCIATION**	
	MEMBERSHIP	FEBRUARY 2008	
Last Name	**First Name**	**City**	**St.**
ALLEN	NADINE	BOUNTIFUL	UT
ANDERSON	MARY	PROVO	UT
ANDRAE	TRISH	NEW BERLIN	WI

BAKER	GREGORY	VALE	NC
BAME	FRED	COLFAX	NC
BARKER	MARGARET R.	ANAHEIM	CA
BEAN	JACOB	DENTON	NC
BLISS	ANNA MARIE	MESA	AZ
BRIGMAN	MARGARET H.	WEAVERVILLE	NC
BRITTON	IRIS G.	FREDERICKSBURG	TX
CARSON	DELMON LEE	LOUISVILLE	KY
CARSON	RICHARD W.	CHATTANOOGA	TN
CARTER	JAS & PHYLLIS	CHATTANOOGA	TN
CARVER	EVON ELLER	NO. WILKESBORO	NC
CASTLEBERRY	PAULA E.	ECLECTIC	AL
COMMISSO	NELLIE ELLER	STERLING	IL
CONKLIN	ELIZABETH	HONOLULU	HI
CONN	SUE ELLER	FRANKLIN	TN
CROASMUN	LYNDA W.	SUFFERN	NY
CURRIN, JR.	MS. RANDOLPH	LILLINGTON	NC
DAHL	DEVON N.	FOUNTAIN VALLEY	CA
DAVIS	ETHAN & ALISON	APEX	NC
DRYE	MATTIE ELLER	WINSTON SALEM	NC
ELLER	BYRON H.	LOMA LINDA	CA
ELLER	CHARLES V.	MOUNDSVILLE	WV
ELLER	CLYDE	FT. DICK	CA
ELLER	CRAVEN & MISSI	SAN ANTONIO	TX
ELLER	DANIEL P.	ATLANTA	GA
ELLER	DON CARL	GARNER	NC
ELLER	DWIGHT E.	TUCSON	AZ
ELLER	EDWARD K.	DALTON	GA
ELLER	ERIC D.	SOQUEL	CA
ELLER	G. STEVE	CASTLE ROCK	CO
ELLER	GARY & BECKY	CROWLEY	TX
ELLER	PATRICIA	FT. WORTH	TX
ELLER	GEORGE & RITA	JACKSONVILLE	FL
ELLER	GERALD H.	COLORADO SPRINGS	CO
ELLER	GERALD M.	ABERDEEN	MD
ELLER	GLENN / SELMA	FLORENCE	CO
ELLER	HOMER & PATSY	PURLEAR	NC
ELLER	J. BURTON	GAINSVILLE	VA
ELLER	J. CLIFTON & PAULA	WASILLA	AK
ELLER	J. GERALD & JUANITA	ARDEN	NC
ELLER	JACK	SCOTTSDALE	AZ
ELLER	JAMES DAVID	DEERFIELD BEACH	FL
ELLER	JAMES & CAROL	BARBERTON	OH
ELLER	JAMES M.	MELBOURNE	FL
ELLER	JAMES P.	EDGEWATER	FL
ELLER	JOE & DEAN	WINSTON SALEM	NC
ELLER	LUCY	SKIATOOK	OK
ELLER	JOHN C.	SEBRING	FL
ELLER	KENT T.	EDGEWATER	FL
ELLER	LYNN	ATLANTA	GA
ELLER	M. EDWARD	SANLEYTOWN	VA
ELLER	M/M N. H.	FAYETTEVILLE	GA
ELLER	NATHAN R.	SAN DIEGO	CA
ELLER	RAYMOND & MARY	HUNTINGTON	IN
ELLER	RICHARD E.	COLORADO SPNGS	CO
ELLER	RICHARD W.	MORGANTOWN	WV
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