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CHURCHES - BAPTIST ROWLAND HILLS, St. Mt.

Edwin H. Taylor is minister of evangelism at Rowland Hills church in Stone Mountain. He lives in Monroe and works as a barber. He previously was pastor of Mt. Zion church at Social Circle and associate pastor of Bold Springs church at Monroe.

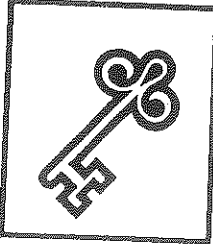
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DEAN LANCASTER has become full-time minister of music and youth at Rowland Hills church in Stone Mountain after three years in that position on a part-time basis. Mr. Lancaster is from Avondale Estates and a graduate of Mercer University in Atlanta, where he was Baptist Student Union president. Mrs. Lancaster was Debra Roberts of Stone Mountain.

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WILLIAM GREGORY BARRON and Rose M. Barron of Grayson, formerly of Decatur, announce the birth of a daughter, Jessica Anne, December 1 at DeKalb General Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds, three ounces and was 20 and 1/4 inches long. The grandparents are Mrs. Irene McDaniel of Aiken, S.C., Mrs. Ann Simpson of Ft. Myers, Fla., and Gerald Barron of Lawrenceville.

MR. AND MRS. MATTHEW TURNER of Tuscon, Ariz., announce the birth of a son, Matthew Dyan, on November 25 in Tuscon. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Turner of Altoona, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Paul Philips of Chattanooga, Tenn. The paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Dorothy Turner of Decatur. The mother is the former Peggy Philips of Chattanooga, Tenn.

DR. CHRISTOPHER KOCH has returned to Kenya after a three week visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Koch of Decatur. Chris has renewed a two year contract with the University of Nairobi where he teaches archeology and anthropology. His brothers Matthew from Arlington, Virginia and Nick from Doraville, were home for the reunion.

DR. J. TRUETT GANON of Smoke Rise Baptist Church in Stone Mountain recently received the Louie D. Newton award from Mercer Alumni for the "Pastor who contributed outstanding service to Mercer University." Russell Barker, director of missions for the Atlanta Baptist Association, was given the award "for outstanding denominational service to Mercer University."

MRS. GEORGE T. WEBB of Decatur has returned home after attending the Laura Lott-Richard Whitehead wedding in Americus.

MRS. BEVERLY MEITS returned recently from New York City, where she visited a 99-year-old great-aunt and her aunt Vernall Dunbar. While there Mrs. Meits researched her family history for a book which she is writing.

MR. AND MRS. GILBERT SANDERS of Bowling Green, Ky., visited their son John Sanders in Decatur over the Thanksgiving holidays, before taking a cruise to Jamaica and other Caribbean islands, returning here before Christmas.

THE REV. AND MRS. JOHN FINLEY of Tucker announce the birth of a daughter, Rachel Kimble, on October 31 at DeKalb General Hospital. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Vaughan of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. Miller Finley of St. Louis, Mo. The couple also have two sons, Nathan, six, and Matthew, four. Rev. Finley is pastor of Scott Boulevard Baptist Church in Decatur. The mother is the former Norma Vaughan of Memphis.

MR. AND MRS. EMORY SMITH of Derrydown Way have returned from a trip to Australia, New Zealand and the Fiji Islands.

MRS. DOROTHY CADE has returned to her home in Belvedere following hospitalization at Grady Hospital, with a stroke.

HELEN AND CURTIS CROSS will be honored with a 50th wedding anniversary celebration Sunday, December 11, by their children and grandchildren in the Friendship Hall of Mt. Carmel Christian Church between 3 and 5 p.m.

GREATER ATLANTA Christian Writers Conference is scheduled for Roswell Street Baptist Church in Marietta, Friday and Saturday, January 6 and 7. Noted religion writers Dr. James and Marti Hefley will lead the conference, hosted by Dr. Nelson Price. For further information call 424-9800.

HORIS WARD GOLD BANJOS will present a program of old-fashioned Christmas songs and folk songs at the Rainbow Park A.A.R.P. Chapter #3671, Monday, December 19 at 11 a.m. with lunch following. The new officers will be announced and installed.

MR. AND MRS. BRUCE HERNDON of Pine Ridge Drive, of Stone Mountain, announce the birth of a daughter, Victoria Christine, on November 5 at DeKalb General Hospital. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Herndon of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. George Pass of Stone Mountain. The paternal great-grandmother is Ms. Mary H. Farmer of Rocky Mount, N.C., and the maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Minnie Pass of Enverness, Fla. The couple have a son Christopher, two. The mother is the former Patricia Pass of Decatur. The baby was hospitalized at Scottish Rite Hospital for awhile following her birth, but she is home now.

GLENN RUSHER, pastor of Rowland Hills Baptist Church in Stone Mountain, has resigned to accept the pastorate at Bethany Baptist Church in Spartanburg, S.C.

MR. AND MRS. DAVID ANDREWS and family have moved from Stone Mountain to Miami Beach, Fla., where he was transferred.

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