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Those who don't remember their ancestors don't deserve to be remembered!

From The Editor

We started the year with a warm winter but we had one very cold period that killed many of our annuals. My poor Meyer Lemon tree suffered terribly after having over 125 beautiful large lemons last year. It froze down to about eight inches off the ground. Other plants suffered as well.

And here it is after St. Patty's day. The garden is planted. Beans, cucumbers, squash, okra, beets, and tomatoes are growing.

In the last *Lawrence, Etc* we highlighted Lydia Child Peele, author of *The Midnight Cool*. In response, Cousin Paul Peel sent his comments on my note on how we used mules in our North Carolina tobacco farming. Paul tells in his email how they used sleds in Martin County as well, but different than that of us in Richmond County.

As promised, in this article we will highlight a couple of family artist. The first of these is Cheryl Lynn Peele of Jacksonville FL. She is not to be confused with the poet Cheryl Lynn Moyer Peele from AL.

I have known for some time of the beautiful art painted by Cousin RB Peele's wife Susie Gach. She is a great artist and I offered to highlight her in this article. But instead, RB suggested that I highlight his artist son Evan Gach Peele. He is known as Max Maxwell.

In the obituary section, I found a new set of relatives based upon the first obituary. When I get names I do not know but just have that feeling that they belong to the family, I go exploring. All of us have some new cousins that we did not know before this newsletter.

I have more information sent by cousins Bobby Boykin, Sue Powell, and RB Peele which will go into the next newsletter which I have to do soon since Trish and I will be in Europe at the end of June. I have to figure that out how to that one printed and mailed while we are away.



Trish Peele

Thanks to Frank Manning Peele of Norfolk VA for his contribution towards the printing and mailing of this volume of the newsletter. Both Frank and I turn 80 this year. Happy Birthday Frank! You are only 29 days older than I.

Enjoy and have a Happy Easter! We will have an Easter egg hunt for the little ones.



HB Peele

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Emails From Cousins

I received this email from Cousin Paul Peel in response to the "***Moonlight Cool***" article about mules in the last newsletter. I guess we had not advanced as much in Richmond County as the more eastern side of North Carolina. I think Martin County area has raised tobacco long before it came to the Sandhills of Richmond County, maybe because of the poorer soil.

Horace,

Read your story about "sledding" tobacco. In Griffins township, Martin Co. NC, we trucked tobacco. Wooden wheels were placed under the flat bed instead of sleds. We considered "sledding" rather stone-aged. The "truck" then served a dual purpose. At night we would hang the curtains (burlap bags) around it and sleep in it while firing the furnaces to cure the tobacco. The next morning, about 7:00 AM, we simply removed the top "curtain" of burlap and the truck was ready to hit the tobacco patch where "primers" would fill it with ripe leaves, each one individually selected so they would cure to gold perfection.

Boys under 13 were the truckers, meaning we delivered the truck load from the field to the tobacco barn. If we "turned over" a load we suffered the wrath of the primers who bent their backs to fill the truck.

After age 13, we became primers and were entitled to be critical of the "young truckers". But after priming "sand lugs", (the bottom 3 leaves) for 6 days we had little energy left for criticizing anyone.

All this came to an abrupt halt when I graduated from High School in 1949 with a rented crop of tobacco in the field. Interesting summer. I'll send you the story some day. That experience influenced me to leave the tobacco fields forever. The reminiscing is more fun than the "doing".

Thanks for the reminder.

Also our cousin Sam Davis from Baltimore, author of "The Emigrant John Peal" visited recently and I took him to "Smithwick Creek", home of the Texas Peeles near "Missionary Ridge" in Texas, not far from San Antonio. Wrote an amusing story about what happened that day while driving across the cotton patch looking for a grave yard.

Best regards to you and your wife,

Paul Peel

Paul, thanks for the comment. Something about the days working in tobacco also caused me to leave the fields forever. I remember just days before graduating from high school, how I saw the long arm of Uncle Sam pointing at me and the follow-on knee jerk reaction of signing predated papers to join the Air Force since I was not yet 18 years of age. Wow, did I really make Mother made!!

Family Spotlight

Cheryl Lynn Peele



Cheryl Lynn Peele

The first in the family Spotlight is **Cheryl Lynn Peele** of Jacksonville FL. I have never met Cheryl in person, rather I first met her on the phone while documenting the death of her Cousin Donald Wayne Peele, published in Volume 15 Issue 4 of *Lawrence Etc.*

At that time Cheryl had broken her leg and was recovering. I received a large envelope from Cheryl postmarked January 25, 2016. She was very appreciative of my documenting the family in the previous newsletter. So much so, she sealed the letter inside with a kiss. It was a very nice fancy hand-written letter with a blessing, updated information on the family tree, and a copy of the following beautiful water color. Maybe it is the kind of house that I used to live in on the old tobacco farm– Right!!! Thanks Cheryl.



Watercolor by Cheryl Lynn Peele

Cheryl include another painting with an invitation on the back:

You are invited to an Opening Night Party

Honoring the Sponsors and Builders

Of the

Jacksonville Historical Society's

GINGERBREARD EXTRAVAGANZA!

Cover Art by CHERYL L. PEELE

Cheryl provides the cover art for this annual event in support of the Jacksonville Historical Society. Last year's event ran from November 30th thru December 23rd. If you are that way, you may want to stop in and see the Gingerbread Extravaganza.

Cheryl also promised an article on the family in her first letter but not having a computer has made it difficult for us to communicate. It took some time but I finally received another beautifully hand-written letter in February this year.

In her last letter, Cheryl tells about Joab Peele and his family...

Joab Peele moved along the coast like an autumn storm. He left a trail; not of destruction. Rather, reproduction. N.C., Ga, Fla, he had three wives and many children. His last two sons were born to wife Hester, in Lawtry, Fla. He died leaving two toddlers to fate in a rural backwater. The little boys didn't fit on the farm. Not pale and freckled. They had the look about them. Genteel. Always local curiosities.

[My Father] Samuel (Cheatham) as he was called then, was not the favored son. That was the baby, Cohen. He instead clung to his grandmother Rebecca. He lived with her. When he could, he joined the Army and then the Navy when war seemed certain. He came home from the Atlantic theatre damaged and dispirited. Normandy bruised his soul.

He took refuge with Cohen, his wife Mae, and their two little sons. He came to know Mae's sister Myrtice, and here I am!

Dickens, in Bleak House, created the Ministry of Circumlocution. Circular thought. Nothing resolved. Any news excited the entire herd. This influenced my love of history. God knows... I'm retentive – A great listener.

Daddy [Samuel] drank mostly on weekends. He was a raconteur, jovial, and loved by many. He was dark, sullen, and feared by many. Not me!

GINGERBREAD EXTRAVAGANZA!



Cheryl's Artwork

He was brought to tears by animals. People? Not so much. Normandy left him horrific nightmares. He had just such a one on Feb 6, 1968. He was gone. Aged 58. (I was 17.)

I pray he was swept up in the arms of our Lord. He knew peace for the first time and forever.

Mother and Daddy shared a birthday, Dec 17, but ten years apart. She survived him forty-three years. They died four days apart, but at the same hour 12:10 AM.

The Peeles rest in Evergreen Cemetery: Cohen, Mae, Sam, and Myrtice, not without years of grumbling – Aunt Mae said, “Leave it to Myrtice to get the best seat.”

Lovingly,
Cheryl Lynn Peele

Joabs last wife Hester Rosier was married shortly after his death to J. H. Sapp according to information in the 1920 US Census. His estate was worth \$1000 as probated on 16 Aug 1913.

Cheryl is indeed correct about her grandfather Joab having children all along the coast. In difference to Cheryl's letter, I have Joab married four times, the first being in Wilson County, NC with no children.

Joab L. "Joe"⁹ Peele (John⁸ Peelle, Willis⁷, Robert⁶, Robert⁵, Robert⁴, Robert³, Robert², Lawrence¹) was born 1848 in Nash Co., NC, and died 15 Jun 1936 in Waresboro Cemetery, Ware Co., GA. He married **(1) Martha Jordan** 18 Aug 1869 in Wilson Co., NC, daughter of Josiah Jordan. She was born 1853. He married **(2) Laura A. Brown** 09 May 1875 in Dodge Co., GA. She was born 1856 in GA, and died Abt. 1890. He married **(3) Ida Eason** 11 Aug 1891 in Ware, GA. She was born 28 Jul 1866 in Appling Co., GA, and died 04 Jul 1903. He married **(4) Hester Sarah Rosier** Abt. 1906 in FL, daughter of Rebecca [Rosier]. She was born 31 May 1876 in Lake Butler, Union Co., FL, and died 11 Dec 1956 in Bradford Co., FL.

Children of Joab Peele and Laura Brown are:

- 2 i. Uster C.¹⁰ Peele, born 1878 in Dodge Co., GA.
- 3 ii. Josie Peele, born 29 Oct 1885; died 10 Mar 1965 in Waycross, Ware Co., GA.

Children of Joab Peele and Ida Eason are:

- 4 i. Allie Floyd¹⁰ Peele, born 14 Sep 1892 in GA; died 07 Mar 1949 in FL.
- 5 ii. Joe Downing Peele, born 12 Sep 1895 in GA; died 31 Oct 1992 in FL.
- 6 iii. Pansy Peele, born 1900 in GA.

Children of Joab Peele and Hester Rosier are:

- + 7 i. Samuel Cheatham¹⁰ Peele, born 17 Dec 1909 in Lawtry, FL; died 06 Feb 1968 in FL.
- + 8 ii. Cohen Elmer Peele, born 09 Dec 1912 in Lawtry, FL; died 19 May 1980 in FL.

Thanks again to Cheryl, she is really appreciative of being part of the family. If you wish to contact her, let me know and I will provide you her address and phone number, but not to publish it here.

I am sure that Cheryl Lynn Peele would be happy to do some work for you like the next individual, the son of Robert Beatty "RB" Peelle, Jr.

Max Makewell

Evan Gach Peelle (Max) is the son of Cousin RB Peelle (American) and his wife Susie Gach (Hungarian). He is a full-time professional artist in New York City with studio and office. The following information was taken directly from his official site: www.maxmakewell.com



Max Makewell (Evan Gach Peelle)

Max Makewell is a classically trained painter based in New York City. By juxtaposing the old and the new—classical training with vibrant color and flowing movement—Makewell evokes a vast range of dynamic moods and spiritual states.

Over a period of ten years (1997 – 2007), Makewell undertook his formal training under several luminary contemporary masters across the United States, Italy, and Russia. He cultivated the disciplines of drawing, painting, and stone carving during his private apprenticeships. He is currently at work on a series of lushly colored, receptive, large-scale abstractions.

Makewell's work has been exhibited in New York City, Las Vegas, Los Angeles, Miami, San Francisco, and Zurs, Austria; and at a solo show at the Ritz Carlton Residencies in San Francisco, as well as appearing at auction at Sotheby's.

Makewell has collectors around the world—in Hong Kong, Munich, Saint Petersburg, Zimbabwe, Mexico City, and London. His works are in the personal collections of Ridley Scott, Rupert Murdoch, Chuck Close, and Jeff Skoll.

Makewell has previously been represented by The Guy Hepner Gallery in New York.

Makewell has been a Professor of Drawing and Painting at the Laguna College of Art and Design, and has held various guest lecture appointments throughout his career.

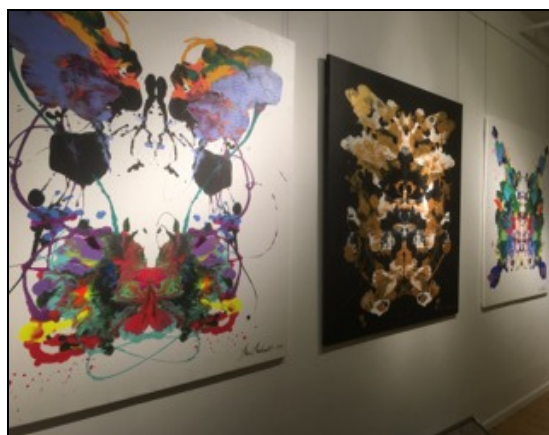
According to his father RB, the prices for example on the "Rorschach Series": color abstract paintings, acrylic on paper and canvas, 60 inches by 60 inches range from \$10,000 to \$14,000,

and proportionally less for smaller. However, the web site shows lesser prices by size/class of works, ranging from several hundreds to thousands.

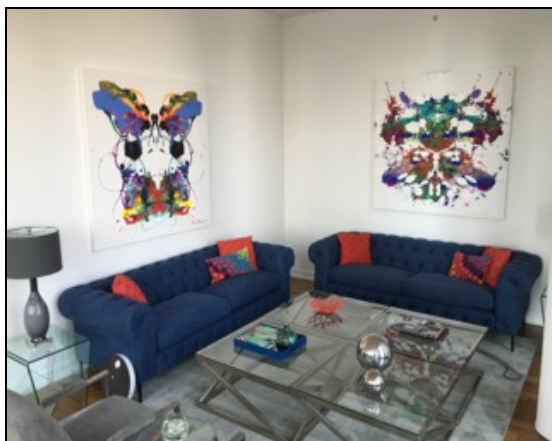
Interesting enough, RB points out that Evan's Great grandfather Stephen Gach studied art in Paris 1900-1904, his Grandfather George Gach studied art in Budapest 1931-1935, and his Mother Susie Gach (RB's wife) studied art in San Miguel de Allende, Instituto Allende MFA in 1969. Following are some of his works. (Black and white print for the newsletter does not show good images, sorry, visit his site.)



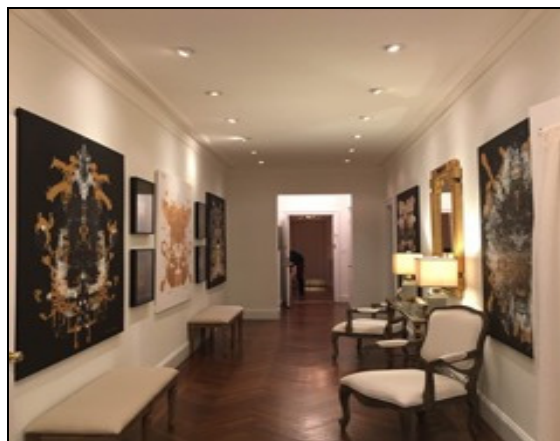
Rorschach - Split Series



Rorschach-Carnival, Alchemy, Carnival



Rorschach - Origins Series



Rorschach -Carnival, Carnival

Family Obituaries

Once again in researching the family of a deceased family member, I came across a person that I did not have in my data base. When this happens, I get curious if the individual is in our family? I start playing with Ancestry, calling people, and using other resources to identify the immediate ancestors of the deceased. Such is the case the next obituary of David Glen Peele.

The main clue that I had to work with into this missing family was name of the brother Kenny Peele. In my data base I had a Kenny W. Peele and five other siblings as the children of Walter Lee Peele (1873-1950) and Mary Jane Wilkins (1872-?). This Kenny was born in 1910. I had no further information on this individual. I did not have him married nor did I have his children.

Picture not available

Norfolk - **David Glen Peele**, 67, passed away on October 21, 2016. Born in Norfolk, VA, he was the son of the late Kenny and Elizabeth Peele. He was the production foreman of Peele's Crabpots and his

David Glen Peele

Left to cherish his memory: his sisters, Doris Johnson, Mary Post and her husband, John, and Gloria Stone and her husband, William; a brother, **Kenny Peele and his wife, Dorothy**; and his loving nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Joseph, Jack, and Lewis Peele.

The family will receive friends at Hollomon-Brown Funeral Home, Great Bridge Chapel on Friday, Oct. 28, 2016, from 12 to 1 p.m. The funeral will be held at 1 p.m. Friday in the funeral home chapel. Interment will follow in Chesapeake Memorial Gardens. Condolences may be offered to the family at www.hollomon-brown.com

Genealogical line – 11th generation to Lawrence: **David Glenn¹¹ Peele** (Kenny Walter¹⁰, Walter Lee⁹, Reuben Joseph⁸, James B.⁷ Peelle, Josiah⁶, Joshua⁵, Robert⁴, Robert³, Robert², Lawrence¹). [David Glen was my 6th cousin once removed.]

I wondered if David's and his brother Kenny mentioned in the obituary was possibly the sons of the Kenny born in 1910? The location of Norfolk was also a good clue. After several hours researching I developed the family tree shown below expanding upon the principal Walter Lee Peele family listed on page 622-623 of the **Peele Heritage**.

In the meantime, I looked up the phone number for a 'Kenny Peele' in Norfolk and called. He answered. I spoke briefly to Kenny only to learn that his wife Dorothy was receiving a chemo treatment. I called initially to get a picture of David Glen since the published obituary did not have a picture. Several days later, I called again and Kenny's wife Dorothy answered. We had a great chat and agreed to exchange information.

Dorothy, a good Christian, is interested in documenting the Peele family tree for her children as one of her projects. She has already done the same for her side, a McNeill family tree. After I told her about my books, she instantly wanted them but I only have the **Peele Heritage** left, now only three copies. If any one of you have a copy of the **Peele Chronicles** which you are willing to sell, please let me know so that Dorothy may contact you. In the meantime, here is the family tree I currently have developed on this family.

Descendants of Kenny Walter "Sleepy" Peele

Generation No. 1

1. **Kenny Walter "Sleepy"¹⁰ Peele** (Walter Lee⁹, Reuben Joseph⁸, James B.⁷ Peelle, Josiah⁶, Joshua⁵, Robert⁴, Robert³, Robert², Lawrence¹) was born 18 Jan 1910 in Norfolk, VA, and died 20 Feb 1987 in Chesapeake Memorial Gardens, Chesapeake, VA. He married **Elizabeth Beatrice "Lizzy" Wilson** 11 Dec 1937 in South Mills, NC, daughter of John Wilson and Margaret Ivey. She was born 08 Jun 1917, and died 15 Oct 1996 in Chesapeake Memorial Gardens, Chesapeake, VA.

Children of Kenny Peele and Elizabeth Wilson are:

+ 2 i. Doris Elizabeth¹¹ Peele, born 18 Apr 1939 in Norfolk, VA; died 14 Dec 2016 in Chesapeake Memorial Gardens, Chesapeake, VA.

- 3 ii. Joseph Kenneth Peele, born 13 Sep 1940 in Norfolk, VA; died 08 Sep 1970 in Chesapeake Memorial Gardens, Chesapeake, VA. He married Dorothy Jean Cullipher 10 Oct 1958 in Norfolk, VA; born 1940.
- + 4 iii. Kenny Walter Peele, Jr., born 12 Oct 1942 in Norfolk, VA.
- 5 iv. Jack Eugene Peele, born 28 Dec 1943 in Norfolk, VA; died 16 Feb 2005 in Chesapeake Memorial Gardens, Chesapeake, VA.
- 6 v. Gloria Peele, born Abt. 1945 in Norfolk, VA. She married William Stone.
- 7 vi. Mary Peele, born Abt. 1947 in Norfolk, VA. She married John Post.
- 8 vii. David Glenn Peele, born 30 Oct 1948 in Norfolk, VA; died 21 Oct 2016 in Chesapeake Memorial Gardens, Chesapeake, VA.
- 9 viii. Lewis Julius Peele, born 01 May 1950 in Norfolk, VA; died 08 Jan 2015 in Chesapeake Memorial Gardens, Chesapeake, VA.

Generation No. 2

2. Doris Elizabeth¹¹ Peele (Kenny Walter "Sleepy"¹⁰, Walter Lee⁹, Reuben Joseph⁸, James B.⁷ Peelle, Josiah⁶, Joshua⁵, Robert⁴, Robert³, Robert², Lawrence¹) was born 18 Apr 1939 in Norfolk, VA, and died 14 Dec 2016 in Chesapeake Memorial Gardens, Chesapeake, VA. She married **(1) Floyd Franklin Randolph** 10 Aug 1957 in Camden, NC. He was born 24 Apr 1925 in Norfolk, VA, and died 15 Sep 1975 in Tonawanda, NY. She married **(2) Robert Lee Schultz** 03 Oct 1960 in Norfolk, VA. He was born 08 Aug 1929. She married **(3) Kelley Floyd Johnson** 1981 in Manteo, NC. He was born 02 Apr 1909 in Ervinton, VA, and died 04 Jan 1986 in Virginia Beach, VA.

Child of Doris Peele and Floyd Randolph is:

- 10 i. Rebecca Ann "Becky"¹² Randolph, born 01 Jul 1958 in Buffalo, NY; died 07 Nov 1998 in Chesapeake Memorial Gardens, Chesapeake, VA.

4. Kenny Walter¹¹ Peele, Jr. (Kenny Walter "Sleepy"¹⁰, Walter Lee⁹, Reuben Joseph⁸, James B.⁷ Peelle, Josiah⁶, Joshua⁵, Robert⁴, Robert³, Robert², Lawrence¹) was born 12 Oct 1942 in Norfolk, VA. He married **Dorothy Amelia McNeill**. She was born 04 Feb 1944 in Fayetteville, NC.

Child of Kenny Peele and Dorothy McNeill is:

- 11 i. Kenny Walter¹² Peele III. He married Kimberly Dawn Justice 10 Jan 1994 in Greenville, SC.

It is always a pleasure to add family members to my data base. And interesting enough, the Walter Lee Peele family lived very close to the oldest known Peele land owned on the Western Branch of the Elizabeth River. It was owned by our ancestor Robert Peelle-1635 as documented on pages 76-77 of the Peele Chronicles.



Archie C. Peele

Archie C. Peele, Sr., age 81, died Monday (August 4, 2014) at First Health Hospice House in Pinehurst.

Funeral Services will be 2:00 PM Thursday at Calvary Baptist Church conducted by the Rev. Dr. William Cooper and the Rev. Dr. William J. Maness, Jr. Burial will follow with military honors at Trinity Bible Church Cemetery.

A native of Moore County he was a son of the late Charlie C. Peele and Myrtle Quick Peele. He was a US Army veteran serving in the 94th Field Artillery Regiment during the Korean Conflict and later serving in the National Guard. He retired after a long career with the North Carolina

Department of Correction where he worked as a Sergeant.

He was preceded in death by: sisters Catherine Fry, Margaret Maness, Ruth Griffin and Hattie Cates, and a brother Vance Peele.

He is survived by: his wife of 61 years Nellie Boyette Peele; daughters Elizabeth Ann Hayes and husband Gerald, Lisa Buie and husband Timmy; sons Archie C. Peele, Jr. and wife Peggy, Tommy C. Peele and wife Melanie all of Carthage; brother Charlie Peele and wife Linda of Pittsboro; grandchildren Jennifer Caviness, Jessica Riley, Christy Donathan, Tommy Peele, Jr. and Kellie Buie; great-grandchildren Laura Caviness, Mikayla Riley, Dawson Levi Smith, Scott Riley, III, Brandon Donathan and Matthew Donathan.

The family will receive friends at Fry and Prickett Funeral Home on Wednesday from 6:00 - 8:00 PM and other times at the home.

Memorials may be made to: First Health Hospice Foundation, 150 Applecross Road, Pinehurst, NC 28374. Condolences: PinesFunerals.com.

Genealogical line – 11th generation to Lawrence: **Archie Clayton¹¹ Peele** (Charlie Clayton¹⁰, Archibald M. "Arch"⁹, Robert⁸ Peelle, David⁷, Robert⁶, Robert⁵, Robert⁴, Robert³, Robert², Lawrence¹) [Archie was my second cousin once removed. This obituary was reported by Cousin Bob Carter of Greensboro, NC.]



Jerry Peele

Naples, Florida. **Jerry L. Peele**, 62, passed on into eternal life on December 11, 2016. Born in Rockingham, NC, he moved to Naples, FL 57 years ago. He is survived by his 5 brothers and sisters: Randy Peele, Tommy Peele, Charlotte Nash, Sharon Miller, and Nancy South, and many nephews and nieces. He was preceded in death by his parents Henry Thomas Peele and Helen Wright Peele.

Jerry was employed at a local Home Depot for the past 12 years where he really enjoyed working with people. There will be a viewing Saturday, December 17th, 2016, 5:00-7:00PM, with the service at 7:00, at Fuller Funeral Home, 4735 Tamiami Trail East, Naples, FL 34112. Little Brother we know you are now in heaven dancing before Jesus. You will forever be in our thoughts and hearts. (Naples News)

Genealogical line – 13th generation to Lawrence: **Jerry Lynn¹³ Peele** (Henry Thomas¹², Belton John¹¹, John J.¹⁰ Peelle, William "Bill"⁹, Robert⁸, David⁷, Robert⁶, Robert⁵, Robert⁴, Robert³, Robert², Lawrence¹) [Jerry was my 2nd cousin once removed.]



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Junior Peele

HAMLET, N.C. — **Martin Luther Peele Jr.**, "Junior", of Hamlet, at 90 years of age, died of pneumonia, on Tuesday, November 1, 2016, at First Health Richmond Memorial Hospital, Rockingham. Junior was born on February 2, 1926, son of Martin Peele, Sr. and Essie James Peele, both deceased.

He was the oldest of four siblings, also deceased. His place of residence was Hamlet, N.C. and for over 45 years, and in earlier years was an honorary bailiff for the City of Hamlet. For many years he made the path around the city of Hamlet, dressed in his suit, cutting on their Christmas lights for all to enjoy. He was known and loved by his family and friends.

He loved God and every person who crossed his path. Junior was a dedicated citizen that always had a smile on his face and a story to tell. Hamlet lost a great elder, who carried much of the town's history in his heart.

He is survived by his niece, Joyce Britt of Takoma Park, Maryland; nephew, Rudy Britt of Raleigh; and many other nieces and nephews; and great-nieces and nephews.

Harrington Funeral Home & Crematory served the family of Mr. Peele. A memorial service will be announced in the near future. (Published in Richmond County Daily Journal from Nov. 4 to Nov. 5, 2016)

Genealogical line – 11th generation to Lawrence: **Martin Luther "Junior"¹² Peele, Jr.** (Martin Luther¹¹, John J.¹⁰ Peelle, William "Bill"⁹, Robert⁸, David⁷, Robert⁶, Robert⁵, Robert⁴, Robert³, Robert², Lawrence¹). [Junior was my 2nd cousin.]



Larry Peele

Larry Wilkinson Peele, 80, of New Bern, passed away Thursday, October 20, 2016, at home.

He attended Antioch FWB Church for many years and later became a member of St. Delights OFWB Church. While there he served as a deacon, a trustee, and a member of the choir. He also served on various other committees. He later became a member of Reelsboro Christian Church.

Larry served with the National Guard and first pursued a career in the auto parts industry. He later worked for the Craven County Sheriff's Department retiring as a Lieutenant after 18 1/2 years of service.

He always had a song in his heart and loved to sing gospel and country music. After retiring he enjoyed fishing and gardening and was proud of maintaining a beautiful yard. Above all, Larry's true life's work was for God.

He is survived by his wife of 29 years, Diane Buck Peele; daughters, Wendy Karam and Lori Meads (John), all of New Bern; he also raised, Wendy Kay Turk (Clyde Roberts, Jr.) of New Bern; James Kevin Ammons (Connie) and Daniel Bryan Ammons, all of New Bern; and grandchildren, Kelsie Bryant McBride (Brian) and soon to be, Lincoln, William & Lola Karam, Catelyn Griffin (Dakota), Alyssa & Mikey "Bubba" Ammons, Bryce Roberts, John Meads IV (Polly), and Jessica and Eric Meads.

His memorial service will be held Monday, October 24th at 7 p.m. at Reelsboro Christian Church with Dr. Robert Cayton and the Rev. Timothy Webber officiating. The family will receive friends and relatives one hour prior to the service at the church. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Community Homecare & Hospice, 1423 S. Glenburnie Rd. Suite A, New Bern, NC 28562 or CarolinaEast Foundation, 2007 B Neuse Blvd., New Bern, NC 28560. Arrangements by Bryant Funeral Home & Crematory, Alliance. (Sun Journal, New Bern, NC)

Genealogical line – 11th generation to Lawrence: **Larry Wilkinson¹¹ Peele** (Abram Lynnier¹⁰, Henry Bennett⁹, Abram Tice⁸ Peal, Thomas⁷, John⁶, Robert⁵ Peelle, William⁴, Robert³, Robert², Lawrence¹). [Larry was my 7th cousin once removed.]

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