

Barbee Family Reunion Minutes

October 4, 2015

The Barbee Family Reunion met at Richlands Baptist Church in Richlands, North Carolina on October 4, 2015 with approximately 60 people in attendance. Shirley Bryan welcomed everyone and thanked the Thomas Barbee Family for hosting the event. Tommy Barbee blessed the food and everyone enjoyed a feast prepared by the Barbee clan. In addition to catching up on family news, those in attendance remarked about the storm and floods that prevented many of our members from attending.

Following dinner, Shirley conducted the business portion of the meeting. Minutes were read by secretary Ann Davis and approved. Michelle Rowe gave a treasurer's report that we have a balance of \$1090.95. Kevin Barbee is keeping the Barbee cemetery sprayed.

Ann read from Ecclesiastes 3 in remembrance of those who had passed away during the year. They were recognized with the lighting of a candle by a family member.

Joyce Nelle Murray Watson, was born December 26, 1940 and died March 8, 2015. She was the daughter of Horace Ralph Murray and Katie Lucille Cox Murray and granddaughter of Delor Kate Barbee Cox and Charles Cox IV.

Edward Walter (EW) Barbee, son of Edward Gordon Barbee and Lois Elaine Cox Barbee and grandson of Cader Gordon Barbee and Bessie Ervin Barbee, died May 26, 2015 at age 79. He was the husband of Sandra Barbee.

Kate Lucille Cox Murray, daughter of Delor Kate Barbee Cox and Charles Cox iV, and wife of Horace Ralph Murray, died June 5, 2015 at the age of 94.

Mary Jaqueline Boyette Boone, daughter of Martha Rhem Barbee Boyette and Lloyd Albert Boyette and great granddaughter of William Minter Barbee and Mary Beasley Rhem Barbee, died June 9, 2015 in Columbia, South Carolina. She was 78 years old.

Sandra Pate Barbee wife of EW Barbee died June 28 2015 at age 70. Sandra and EW are survived by sons Allen Barbee and Rusty Warren Taylor and daughter Karen Bristow, six grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Winford Glenn Cox, son of Garland and Sadie Cox and grandson of Delor Kate Barbee and Charles Cox IV, died August 21, 2015. He is survived by his wife Catherine Rhodes Cox, daughter Wanda Jarman, sons Glenn Martin Cox and William Garland Cox and a host of other relatives.

The youngest child in attendance was Taylor Mitchell and the oldest was Catherine Barbee.

Reid Barbee made a motion that families be reimbursed for their expenses of hosting the reunion. It was seconded and passed.

The new president is Anne Schout, treasurer is Michelle Rowe, secretary is Ann Davis, and historian is Ervin Morton.

There was no further business discussed and the meeting was adjourned.

