

THE NESBITT  
FAMILY  
REUNION



*Commemorative*  
**JOURNAL**

July 25 - July 28, 2024

Marriott Fairfield Inn & Suites

Savannah, Georgia



# WELCOME TO SAVANNAH!

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Hello Nesbitt Family,



On behalf of the 2024 Nesbitt Family Connection Reunion Committee, I welcome you to the oldest city in Georgia, beautiful Savannah! We have been working tirelessly to ensure that this Reunion is memorable for all of us. We extend our warmest greetings as we come together for this joyous Nesbitt Family Celebration. We are truly grateful to all of you for being part of this fabulous Reunion. Our preparations and hard work will make this Reunion an event you will truly enjoy and always remember.

The Nesbitt Family is not just a family; it is a unique community that loves and cares for each other dearly. We each are an extraordinary part of this excellent Nesbitt Family Connection, and we thank God for the tie that binds our hearts and families together. We Nesbitts have solid values and family bonds that were instilled in us, and we must continue to instill all these values into the next generations. We hope this Reunion will be filled with love, fun, laughter, sharing, catching up, reconnecting, reminiscing, and making even more beautiful memories with family. And when you leave, we hope you will better understand where we came from and how far we have come, as well as have a greater awareness of our family and traditions, a stronger sense of pride, and a renewed appreciation for our Nesbitt Family.

Again, we sincerely thank all of you for coming to celebrate our family, and we hope that you will cherish our time together. We will always share togetherness whether we are close to, or distant from one another. When this Reunion ends, and we must say so long for now, may we leave with an even stronger desire to strengthen the bond of the Nesbitt Family Connection as we anxiously look forward to our next Reunion. May God's grace and mercy grant you safe travels home, and may He continue to bless you and the entire Nesbitt Family.

*Warm  
Regards.*

Richard (Rick) Truesdale, Chairman &  
2024 Nesbitt Family Connection Reunion Committee



# *Our* ROOTS

Like branches on a tree we all grow in different directions, yet our roots remain as one.

Grace Nesbitt Wilson  
1835 - ??



John Nesbitt  
10/1844 - 2/13/1915



Bettie Williams Nesbitt  
2/14/1861 - 12/24/1935



Israel Nesbitt  
1846 - 1895



Bena Cooper Nesbitt  
1851 - 1928







## Office of the Mayor Savannah, Georgia

Van R. Johnson, II  
Mayor

July 25, 2024

WELCOME

### NESBITT FAMILY REUNION

I would like to extend my warmest welcome to each of you as you celebrate your family reunion here in the wonderful city of Savannah, GA. We are honored that you have chosen to visit our beautiful city for the first time. We hope that it is not your last.

Savannah, "The Hostess City of the South", is a city full of beautiful architecture, gracious monuments, vast ethnic cultures, and gorgeous parks and squares. It exhibits fine restaurants, shops, art galleries, colleges & universities, state-of-the-art businesses, and an occasional clapping of horse hooves. During your stay, I invite you to take full advantage of all of the amazing things Savannah has to offer.

It is always a blessing when families come together to renew, reconnect, and strengthen family ties and share and make many new memories. As you enjoy Savannah and each other, I wish you all the best for this reunion and the many more to follow.

Again, we welcome the Nesbitt Family to Savannah, GA and may this reunion be the most memorable thus far.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Van R. Johnson, II".

Van R. Johnson, II  
Mayor

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# The COMMITTEE

**RICHARD (RICK) TRUESDALE**  
Chairman

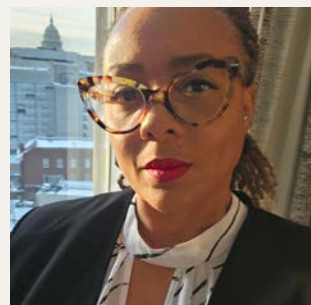
**BRENDA TRUESDALE**  
Treasurer & Secretary



**LEFT TO RIGHT**  
Ms. Christina Cachie  
Mrs. Chanisse Fitchett  
Mrs. Jackie Griffin  
Mrs. Norma Irvin



**LEFT TO RIGHT**  
Dr. Monique Johnson  
Mrs. Shawne Johnson  
Mr. Ernest Mosley  
Hon. Maurice Mosley



**LEFT TO RIGHT**  
Mr. Sean Mosley, Esq.  
Mr. Bobby Mott  
Ms. Michelle Russell  
Dr. Tracy Worley

*Special thanks to:*

Sybil Wiggins and Jamahl Wiggins as family historians, & The Freedom Trails Savannah tour team



**Great-great-great  
Granddaughter of Israel &  
Bena Nesbitt**



**CONGRATULATIONS**

**Sanai Ranae Fitchett**

**CLASS OF 2024**

**PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY**

**Bachelor of Science -Computer Science  
Software Engineer**



# The AGENDA

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## THURSDAY, JULY 25, 2024

### FREE (FAIRFIELD INN ONLY)

Continental Breakfast

6:30am - 9:30am (Thur-Fri)

7:00 - 10:0am (Sat-Sun)

### 4:00 - 9:00PM

Registration and Meet & Greet

Location - Breakfast Court off the Lobby

Fairfield Inn & Suites Savannah

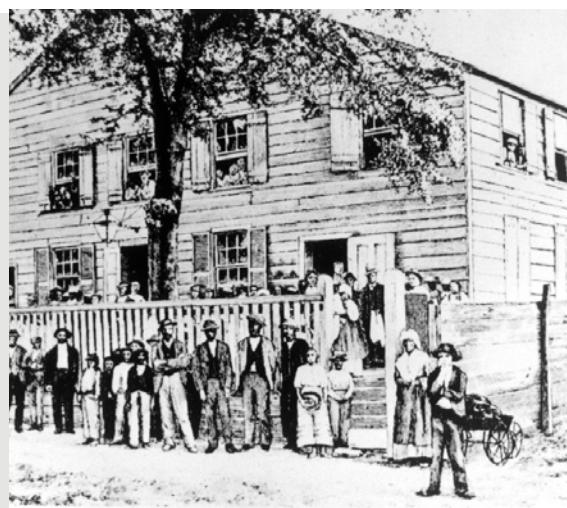
Downtown Historic District

(Light hors d'oeuvres will be served)



*Did you know?*

THE FIRST AFRICAN BAPTIST CHURCH IN SAVANNAH IS ONE OF THE OLDEST AFRICAN AMERICAN BAPTIST CHURCHES IN NORTH AMERICA. THOUGH IT WAS NOT FORMALLY ESTABLISHED UNTIL 1788, THE ORIGINS OF THE FIRST AFRICAN BAPTIST CHURCH DATE TO 1778, WHEN GEORGE LIELE ORGANIZED A SMALL CONGREGATION OF BLACK BAPTISTS IN SAVANNAH. JOIN THE TOUR BUS AT 9:45AM ON SATURDAY TO TOUR THIS HISTORIC SITE.



## FRIDAY, JULY 26, 2024

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### FREE (FAIRFIELD INN ONLY)

Continental Breakfast

6:30am - 9:30am (Thur-Fri)

7:00 - 10:0am (Sat-Sun)

### 9:00AM - 11:00PM

Registration - Executive King Suite

Fairfield Inn & Suites Savannah

### 12:00 - 4:00PM

Family Cookout!

Lake Mayer Park

1850 East Montgomery Crossroads

Savannah, GA 31406

### PARK LOCATION:

- Community Center &
- Pavilion #2

### 7:00 - 10:00PM

Trivia Night Pool Party

Pool at the Fairfield Inn &

Suites Savannah



# The AGENDA

**FREE (FAIRFIELD INN ONLY) Continental Breakfast: 7:00 - 10:00am**

**SATURDAY, JULY 27, 2024**

## EXPLORE ON YOUR OWN! FUN THINGS TO DO IN SAVANNAH:

Here's a short list of fun things you can explore on your own:

- Owens-Thomas House & Slave Quarters
- Forsyth Park
- Olde Pink House
- Leopold's Ice Cream
- Day Trip to Tybee Island
- Plant Riverside District
- Segway Tours of Savannah
- Savannah Candy Kitchen/Historic District
- Day Trip to Bonaventure Cemetery
- Wormsloe Historic Site
- City Market, known for shops and cafes.
- River Street Stroll: Shops, eateries, & scenic views
- Riverboat Cruise
- Savannah Ghost Tours
- Savannah Children's Museum (open 9am - 2pm)
- Stroll through Savannah State and/or SCAD

## AFRICAN AMERICAN HERITAGE TRAIL BUS TOUR

10:00 am - 12:00pm

Hosted by Norma Irvin

Bus loads up at 9:30 SHARP! from the Fairfield Inn & Suites

*(Space is limited. Online pre-purchase of tickets is required.)*

## GATHER FOR FAMILY PHOTO

5:30pm

Front stairway of the Brockington Hall of Historic Savannah

213 East Hall Street, Savannah, GA

## NESBITT REUNION BANQUET

6:30 - 9:00pm

Brockington Hall of Historic Savannah

213 East Hall Street, Savannah, GA

**SUNDAY JULY 28, 2024**

**10:00 AM**

First African American Baptist Church

23 Montgomery Street, Savannah, GA

*Choose your own adventure!*



*Did you know?*

**SAVANNAH STATE UNIVERSITY IS THE OLDEST INSTITUTION OF HIGHER LEARNING IN SAVANNAH AND THE OLDEST PUBLIC HBCU IN GEORGIA. (ESTABLISHED IN 1890)**

# ADDRESSES

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## ACCOMMODATIONS

Fairfield Inn & Suites Savannah

Downtown/Historic District

135 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd,  
Savannah, GA 31401



Aloft Savannah

Downtown/Historic District

512 West Oglethorpe Ave,  
Savannah, GA 31401

(within walking distance to the  
Fairfield Inn and Suites)



## FAMILY COOKOUT

Lake Mayer Park

1850 E. Montgomery Crossroads,  
Savannah, GA 31406

Community Center & Pavilion #2



## BANQUET & FAMILY PHOTO

Brockington Hall of Historic  
Savannah

213 East Hall Street, Savannah,  
GA 31404





# *Congratulations*

TO THE NESBITT FAMILY

HANK & EMMA, 2022



HANK & EMMA  
45TH ANNIVERSARY

AMBROSE FAMILY, 2018  
SEATED- CATHERINE & EMMA  
REAR - JARED, JOHN, JAMES  
& HANK





# The BANQUET PROGRAM

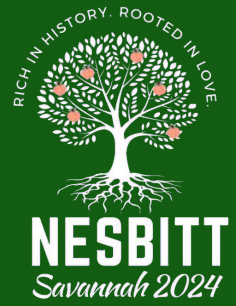
**SATURDAY, JULY 27, 2024**

**5:30PM**

Gather at front Stairway, Brockington Hall

**6:30 - 9:00PM**

Brockington Hall of Historic Savannah  
213 East Hall Street, Savannah, GA



Welcome & Opening Remarks .....	Rick Truesdale
Prayer .....	Rev. Melvin Sanders
Historical Sketch of the Nesbitt Family.....	Boston Rohan & Brionna Truesdale
Family Song: Cooper-Nesbitt ("Side by Side") .....	Douglas Dean
In Memoriam (2018-2024) .....	Norma Irvin, Bobby Mott & Jamahl Wiggins
Generational Interviews (4 interviews) .....	Shawne Johnson
Blessing of Food .....	Rev. Bruce Wynn
<b>DINNER IS SERVED</b> Will include a Slide Show & Family Commentary.....	Rev. Melvin Sanders
Family Kahoots .....	Chanisse Fitchett
Academic Scholarship .....	Chanisse Fitchett & Christina Cachie
Recognitions .....	Monique Johnson
Family Song: Williams-Nesbitt ("When We All Get to Heaven").....	Courtney Rohan
Let's play: "Do you know who I am?".....	Jackie Dean Griffin
Closing Remarks.....	Sean Mosley
Benediction .....	Minister Davis Worley

# OUR FAMILY SONGS

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## COOPER-NESBITT FAMILY REUNION SONG

By Thelma Prince Okigwe, 1978

Waterbury, CT

### “SIDE BY SIDE.”

Oh, we ain't got a barrel of money,  
Maybe we're ragged and funny,  
But we're traveling along, singing a song, side by side.  
We don't know what's coming tomorrow,  
Maybe it's trouble or sorrow,  
But we'll travel the road, sharing our load, side by side.  
Through all kinds of weather,  
What if the sky should fall,  
As long as we're together, it doesn't matter at all.  
When they've all had their troubles and parted,  
We'll be the same as we started,  
Just traveling along, singing a song, side by side.

### “WHEN WE ALL GET TO HEAVEN.”

#### VERSE 1

Sing the wondrous love of families,  
Sing of John and Bettie too;  
In our homes so bright and blessed,  
There's a welcome for all of you.

#### VERSE 2

Onward to the souls before us,  
Soon their beauty we'll behold;  
Soon the pearly gates will open,  
We shall meet those blessed souls.

#### CHORUS

When we all get together,  
What a lot of laughter there will be;  
When we all see each other,  
We'll talk of old memories.

## WILLIAMS-NESBITT FAMILY REUNION SONG

By, Pauline Nesbitt Williams, 1980

Columbia, SC

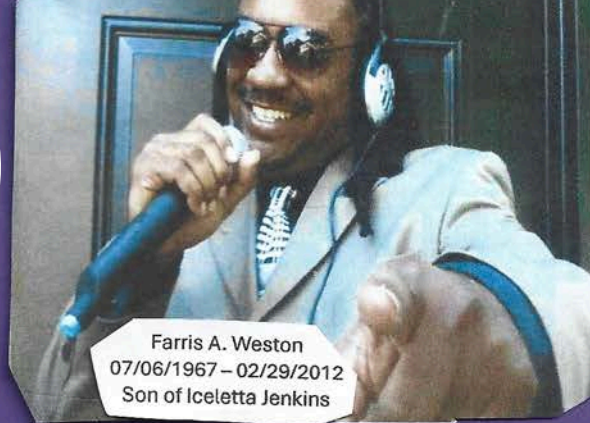




## ICELETTA JENKINS

09/29/1938

Daughter of Ellen Roundtree  
Granddaughter of  
Mary Nesbitt  
(Lemon)



Farris A. Weston  
07/06/1967 – 02/29/2012  
Son of Iceletta Jenkins



Derek A. Weston  
01/09/1990  
Son of Farris A. Weston



Aliya J. Weston  
11/30/1990  
Daughter of Farris A. Weston



Ella L. Weston  
07/24/2002  
Daughter of Farris A. Weston



Gabrielle L.J. Weston  
05/07/2004  
Daughter of Farris A. Weston



U'nytii R. Tate-Weston  
06/25/2011  
Daughter of Derek A. Weston



Janay T. Weston  
06/11/2014  
Daughter of Aliya J. Weston



Inyahsha J. Weston  
09/02/2015  
Daughter of Derek A. Weston



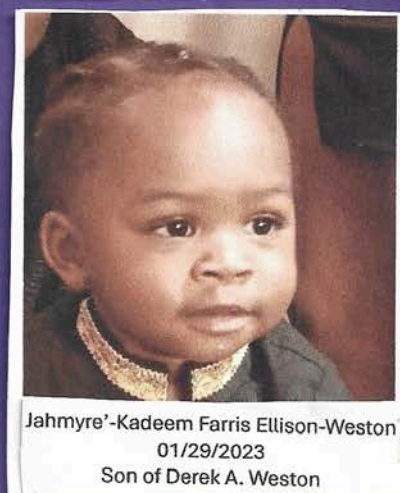
Jeremiah A. Mills  
09/08/2015  
Son of Aliya J. Weston



Janiyah Nikole Mills  
09/01/2017  
Daughter of Aliya J. Weston



Ya'el L. Weston  
05/24/2018  
Daughter of Derek A. Weston

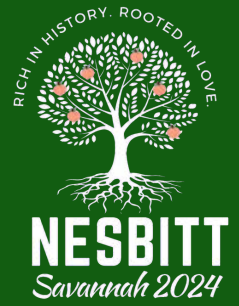


Jahmyre'-Kadeem Farris Ellison-Weston  
01/29/2023  
Son of Derek A. Weston



# OUR REUNION HISTORY

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The Nesbitt Family Reunion grew from a long talked about dream of Ellen Roundtree, Lucille Nesbitt and Ethel Lee Ford. There was a realization that there were five generations of Nesbitts living. From this revelation was born the idea of a Family Reunion. For several years, many family members had openly expressed a desire for a reunion to renew acquaintances, meet family members and pay tribute to those responsible for our being.

The first reunion began with a telephone call by Ellen Roundtree and then many more subsequent calls and correspondence (not realizing that family members in Connecticut had the same idea). It is said, “great minds think alike” and thus the dream became a reality – the first “Nesbitt-Williams” Family Reunion.

The first was held in Columbia, South Carolina, July 14-16, 1978 at the home of David and Pauline Williams and Ellen Roundtree. There were members present from 11 States – from as far west as Los Angeles, CA and as far east as Waterbury, CT. The family members discovered that this family was musically inclined and at one time, there were seven (7) sets of twins. Plus, many family members had given their children the same names!

The reunion started out as a backyard gathering and now the participation has grown in numbers so much that we have moved to hotels for accommodations and banquet, over a 4 day timeframe. The Nesbitt Connection, as it is fondly called, is held every two years. The following is a chronological listing of the date, location and host hotel of each reunion.

→ *Flip to see  
where we've been!*

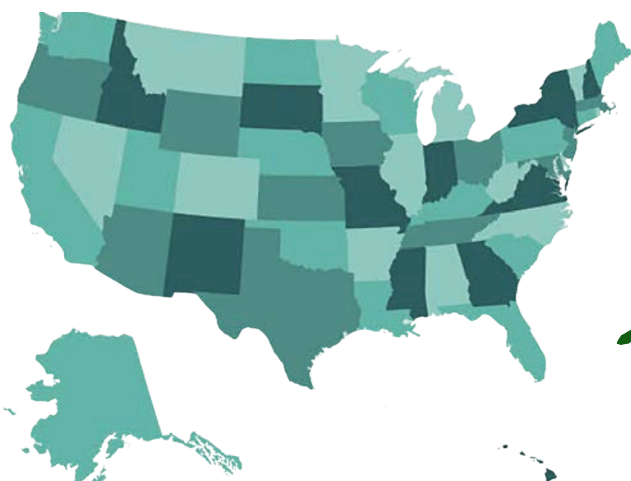
# WE'RE WHERE WE'VE BEEN

## NESBITT REUNION DATES & LOCATIONS SINCE OUR FIRST GATHERING

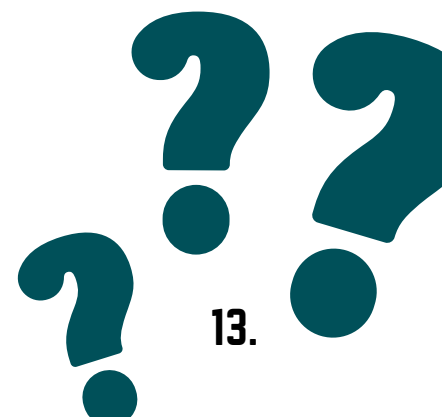
July 14-16, 1978 .....	Columbia, SC
July 24-26, 1980 .....	Columbia, SC
July 23-25, 1982 .....	Waterbury, CT
July 27-29, 1984 .....	Philadelphia, PA
August 8-10, 1986 .....	Columbia, SC
July 22-24, 1988 .....	Waterbury, CT
August 3-5, 1990 .....	Columbia, SC
July 29-31, 1994.....	Waterbury, CT
July 6-8, 2001 .....	Waterbury, CT
July 24-27, 2003 .....	Largo, MD
July 29-31, 2005 .....	Rochester, NY
July 27-30, 2006 .....	Charleston, SC
July 24-27, 2008 .....	Waterbury, CT
July 29-August 1, 2010 .....	Raleigh, NC
July 26-29, 2012 .....	Philadelphia, PA
July 24-27, 2014 .....	Columbia, SC
July 28-31, 2016 .....	Largo, MD
July 26-29, 2018 .....	Charlotte, NC
July 28-29, 2022 .....	Virtual Reunion
July 25-29, 2024.....	Savannah, GA



We pray for continued growth and discovery of our roots that give us a sense of identity and for the Nesbitt Connection to stay “connected” as WE ALL strive to keep our history alive !



*Where to next?*



# THE NESBITT *Legacy* CONTINUES . . .

Family Graduations of  
Eddie & Jackie Dean Griffin



Grandson: Austin E. Griffin Swartz with family May, 2024 - High School



Grandnieces: Caylah & Cayden with  
parents CJ & Rochelle Dean Atkins.  
May, 2023 - 8th Grade



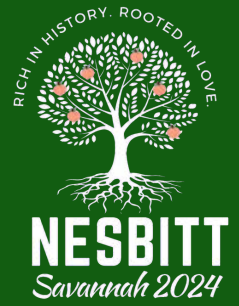
Grandniece:  
Asha with mother Erica Dean Glenn,  
June, 2022 - 8th Grade

God Is Truly Blessing!



# OUR STORY

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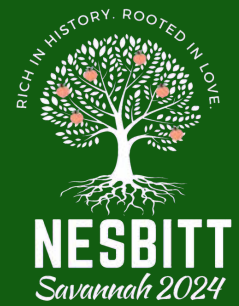
**TOP TO BOTTOM:**  
Virginia Nesbitt Goodson  
Sophia Lara  
John Nesbitt

## ***SPIRIT OF OUR ANCESTORS***

It is time to remember the Spirit of our ancestors, It is  
time to feel the Spirit of our ancestors,  
It is time to feel the call of the ancestral spirits, hear the  
rhythms of our ancestors,  
feel the spirit of our ancestors watching over us.  
It is time to hear the call of the ancestral spirits, feel the  
rhythms of our ancestors,  
know the spirit of our ancestors are watching over us,  
The ancestral spirits are talking to us, taking us deeper  
and deeper, higher and higher,  
those who are lost, have been found, everyone is  
moving in unison,  
feeling the rhythms of our ancestors, the beat of the  
drums, hips swaying, hands clapping, hearts pounding,  
feeling the gentle protective winds,  
feeling the healing energy of the sun,  
feeling in rhythm with everything, everyone,  
There is a peaceful calming presence among us, The  
ancestral spirits are with us,  
They speak of their love and protection for us,  
They speak from their heart and soul,  
They remind us to love and protect planet earth  
and not lose touch with  
our ancestral roots, our Ancestral voice, They remind  
us to teach our children to  
remember the spirit of our Ancestors,  
remember the spirit of our Ancestors, The spirit of the  
Ancestors has spoken.

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# NESBITT FAMILY HISTORICAL SKETCH



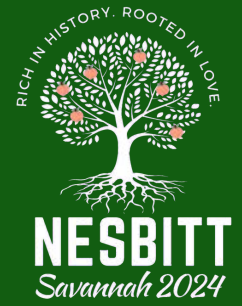
Throughout the Nesbitt Reunion history various family members have been able to compile an auspicious amount of family information. In the beginning, they utilized oral history, group interviews and personal recollections. With the introduction of the computer, research technology has enhanced those efforts greatly, by allowing more in-depth information to be gleaned.

With our groundwork firmly in place, the 2018 Reunion Committee set out with one mission. The focus was to attempt to locate the one missing puzzle; information on the Nesbitt brothers' one sister – Grace Nesbitt Wilson. While on this journey, we stumbled on a number of unanticipated details. Much of what was discovered via 1870, 1890, & 1900 Census records, Death Certificates, 1897 & 1906 City Directories, and the 1860 Slave Schedule Census Index, is now included in this Historical Sketch. These documents are shown elsewhere in this journal. It is our sincere prayer that a professional genealogist is hired to thoroughly investigate our Nesbitt ancestry. The process is tedious and time consuming. It's evident to us, only the surface has been scratched!!

Grace (est. 1835), John (1844) and Israel (1846) were born into slavery. They were the property of slave owners, James, Joseph or Niles Nesbitt of Spartanburg District, South Carolina. Blacks were not included in census data prior to 1870. Prior to 1870 they may have been listed as property on the Slave Schedule. This is shown on the next pages of the 1860 Slave Schedule, as well as Census Information for Israel and Bena Nesbitt. Here, slave owners James, Joseph or Niles are listed as their "parents." Grace (Gracie) appears in the 1870 United States Federal Census for Columbia (Richland County), with three children, Sibbie (Cilby), age 8, Frank age 7 and Thomas age 5. She is listed as widowed, head of household, and working as a farm laborer.

Over the years, we have been told, John (b. 1844) came to Columbia from Charleston, South Carolina area where he worked on a ship as a cook. John met and in 1875, married Bettie Williams who worked as a nurse in the community. Her mother's name was Mariah Williams and she had one brother named John. John and Bettie Williams Nesbitt had thirteen children, seven sons and six daughters .

# NESBITT FAMILY HISTORICAL SKETCH (CONT.)



In birth order, they were: John Nesbitt, Hugh Nesbitt, Euginia Nesbitt Valentine, Jesse Nesbitt, Lucy Bell Nesbitt Brooks, Mary (Toby) Nesbitt Johnson Lemons, William Nesbitt, Anna Lee Nesbitt Brooks, Sallie Nesbitt, Alice Nesbitt Geiger, Robert (Robt) Nesbitt, Samuel Nesbitt, and Ezelle Nesbitt Israel was born in 1846 and died in 1895. He was employed as a tailor, which was considered a valuable skill during his time. He practiced his trade in Columbia, South Carolina, where he met and married Bena (Benie) Cooper, who was also born into slavery. Bena worked as a nurse at the State Mental Hospital, an institution that's still in operation today.

Israel and Bena Cooper Nesbitt had ten children, six sons and 4 daughters. In birth order, they were: William Walter Nesbitt, John Nesbitt, Charles Nesbitt, David Nesbitt, Israel Nesbitt, Thomas Nesbitt, Matilda Nesbitt Mott, Annie Nesbitt Prince, Virginia Nesbitt Goodson, and Ellen Nesbitt Gilmore Granville.

It is still unknown what has become of Grace Nesbitt Wilson's children and offspring. The children of the Nesbitt brothers left home and settled in other cities of South Carolina as well as Connecticut, Illinois, Michigan, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Washington, DC. Now in 2024, we represent eight generations from the Nesbitt siblings and their spouses. We live all over the United States and Europe. To our knowledge, cousins can be found in Arizona, California, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, New Jersey, Nevada, Washington, DC as well as Germany and Switzerland. To God, be the Glory ~ "WE ARE FAMILY!"

\*Please Note: the 1870, 1880, 1900, 1910 census were utilized. The 1890 census was destroyed by fire. Also spelling of names in the census was how the census taker "heard" or "interpreted" the person's first & last names. For example, Grace is also Gracie, Bena is Benie, Robert is Robt, while Nesbitt is spelled Nesbit & Nesbett. Date of birth & ages were often approximated by the census taker as well as the family member.

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# GOOD TIMES!

*With Family*



With love from: Al, Sybil and Jamahl Wiggins



# NESBITT FAMILY RECORDS



**NESBITT**  
Savannah 2024

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AncestryInstitution.com - South Carolina, Death Records, 1821-1965

South Carolina, Death Records, 1821-1965 for Israel Nesbitt

1900-1924 1916 Richland

Inc. Town of \_\_\_\_\_ Registration District No. 27-2 (For use in City of Columbia (No. State Hospital for Insane Ward)

2. FULL NAME William Nesbitt Residence In City \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ Mos. \_\_\_\_\_ Days.

**PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS**

1 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE Negro 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED. Married (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH abt 1 868 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 48 yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ days. If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_\_ min. ?

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Carpenter apprentice (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) none

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or Country) South Carolina

10 NAME OF FATHER Israel Nesbitt

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or Country) ?

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Rina Nesbitt

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) ?

**MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

16 DATE OF DEATH April 11, 1916 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Oct 10, 1915 to April 11, 1916, that I last saw him alive on Apr 11, 1916, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 2 A m. The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:  
Pellagra

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ days

Contributory (SECONDARY) \_\_\_\_\_ (Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ days

(Signed) [Signature] April 11, 1916 (Address) Columbia, S.C.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or recent Residents) At place of death 13 yrs. 8 mos. \_\_\_\_\_ days. In the ? State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ days. Where was disease contracted, ?

If not at place of death? Former or usual Residence Richland Co. S.C.

19 Place of Burial or Removal \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BURIAL \_\_\_\_\_

PAIEMENTS  
14 I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
State Hospital Records  
for Insane

WILLIAM NESBITT

19.



# NESBITT FAMILY RECORDS

01/25/2018

Ancestry

let's get in touch

Israel Nesbitt - Facts



## Israel Nesbitt

**BIRTH** 1846 • South Carolina  
**DEATH** 1895



## Bena Cooper

**BIRTH** 1851 • South Carolina  
**DEATH** 1928

### Facts

#### Age 0 — Birth

1846 • South Carolina

Age 22 — **Birth of Son William Walter Nesbitt** (1868-1946, Apr 4)  
abt 1869 • South Carolina

Age 28 — **Birth of Son John Nesbitt** (1874-1928)

Abt. 1874 • South Carolina, USA

Age 30 — **Birth of Son Charles Nesbitt** (1876-)

abt 1876 • South Carolina

Age 31 — **Birth of Son David Nesbitt** (1877-1945)

17 Mar 1877 • Spartanburg, South Carolina

Age 32 — **Birth of Son Israel Nesbitt** (1878-)

abt 1878 • South Carolina

#### Age 34 — Residence

1880 • Columbia, Richland, South Carolina, USA

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Self

Age 35 — **Birth of Son Thomas Nesbitt** (1881-)

1881 • South Carolina, USA  
1234567890 Where St., Any City, ST 12345

Age 40 — **Birth of Daughter Matilda Nesbitt** (1886-)

1886 • South Carolina, USA  
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Age 49 — **Death**  
1895

### Family

#### Parents

**James, Joseph, or Niles (slaveowners) Nesbitt**

#### Spouse & Children

**Dena Cooper** 1851-1928

**William W. Nesbitt** 1865-

**John Nesbitt** 1874-1928

**David Nesbitt** 1877-1945

**Thomas Nesbitt** 1881-

**Matilda Nesbitt** 1886-

**Annie Nesbitt** 1903-

**Virginia Nesbitt**

**Ellen Nesbitt**

#### Spouse & Children

**Charles Nesbitt** 1876-

**Israel Nesbitt** 1878-

### Sources

#### Ancestry Sources

**1880 United States Federal Census**



*In sincere gratitude . . .*

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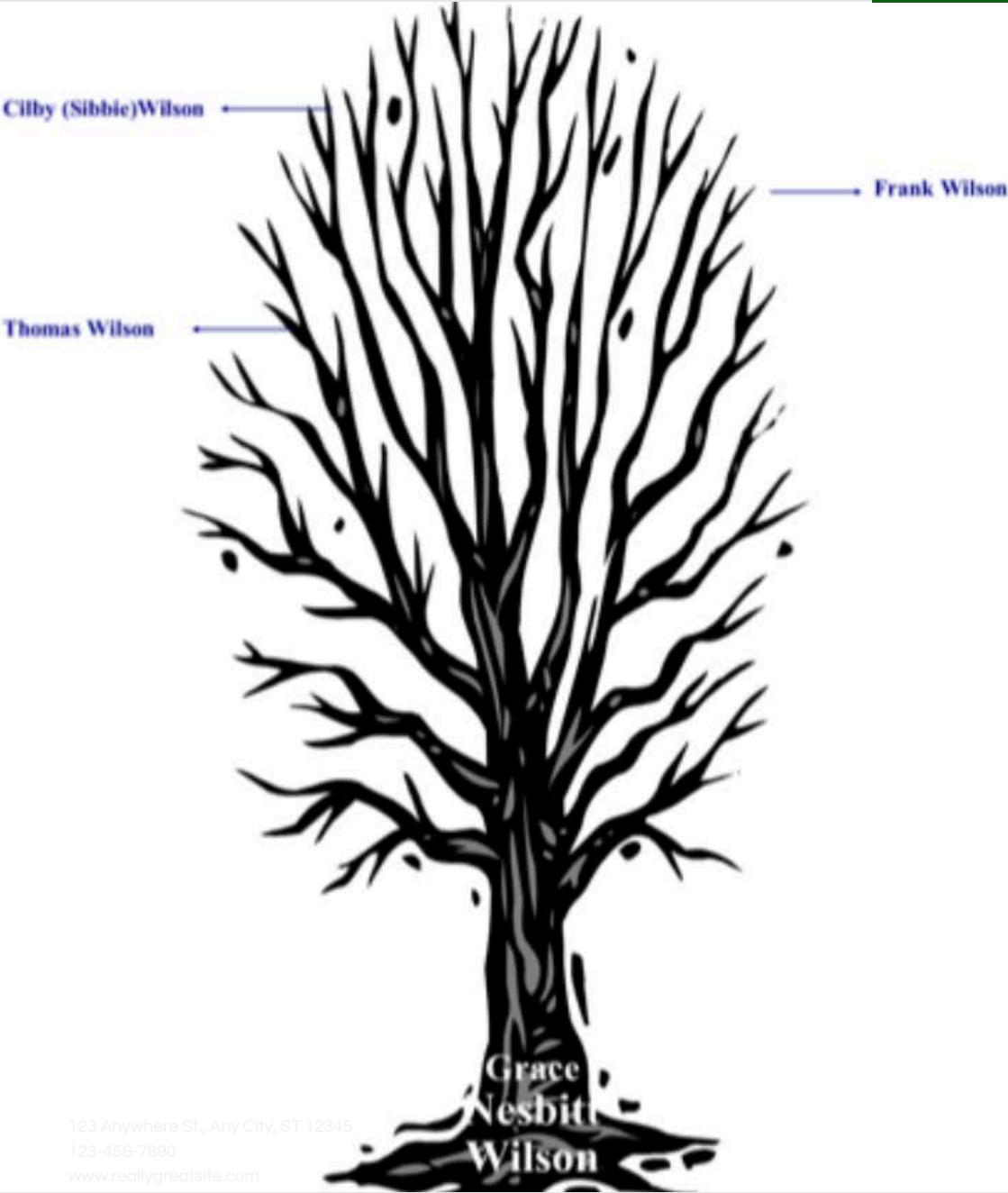
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NOVEMBER 19, 1942 - APRIL 25, 2024



MICHELLE, YVETTE,  
MONIQUE & JOHN (JC)



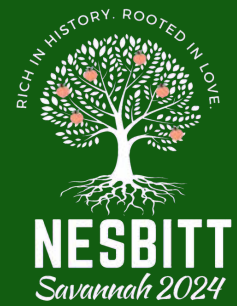
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# GRACE NESBITT WILSON

# NESBITT FAMILY RECORDS



6/30/2018

Ancestry - Print 1870 United States Federal Census



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## 1870 United States Federal Census

Name:	Grace Wilson
Age in 1870:	40
Birth Year:	1830
Birthplace:	South Carolina
Dwelling Number:	2090
Home in 1870:	Fourth, Richland, South Carolina
Race:	Black
Gender:	Female
Occupation:	Farm Laborer
Cannot Read:	Y
Cannot Write:	Y
Inferred Children:	Cilby Wilson
Household Members:	
	Name
	Grace Wilson
	Cilby Wilson
	Frank Wilson
	Thomas Wilson

Age
40
8
7
5

GRACE  
NESBITT  
WILSON

GRACE  
NESBITT  
WILSON

Source Citation: Year: 1870; Census Place: Fourth, Richland, South Carolina; Roll: M552\_1507; Page: 293A; Family History Library Film: 543006

### Source Information



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Administrative, n.d.

• Microfilm census schedules for 1870. NARA microfilm publication T326, 13 rolls. Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.

### Description:

This database is an index to individuals enumerated in the 1870 United States Federal Census, the Ninth Census of the United States. Census records record many details including each person's name, sex, color, birthplace, age, occupation, and more. No information was recorded about the relationship of individuals to the head of household, the names of those listed on the population schedule are listed to avoid images of the 1870 Federal Census.

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## WILLETTE ELAINE SANDERS

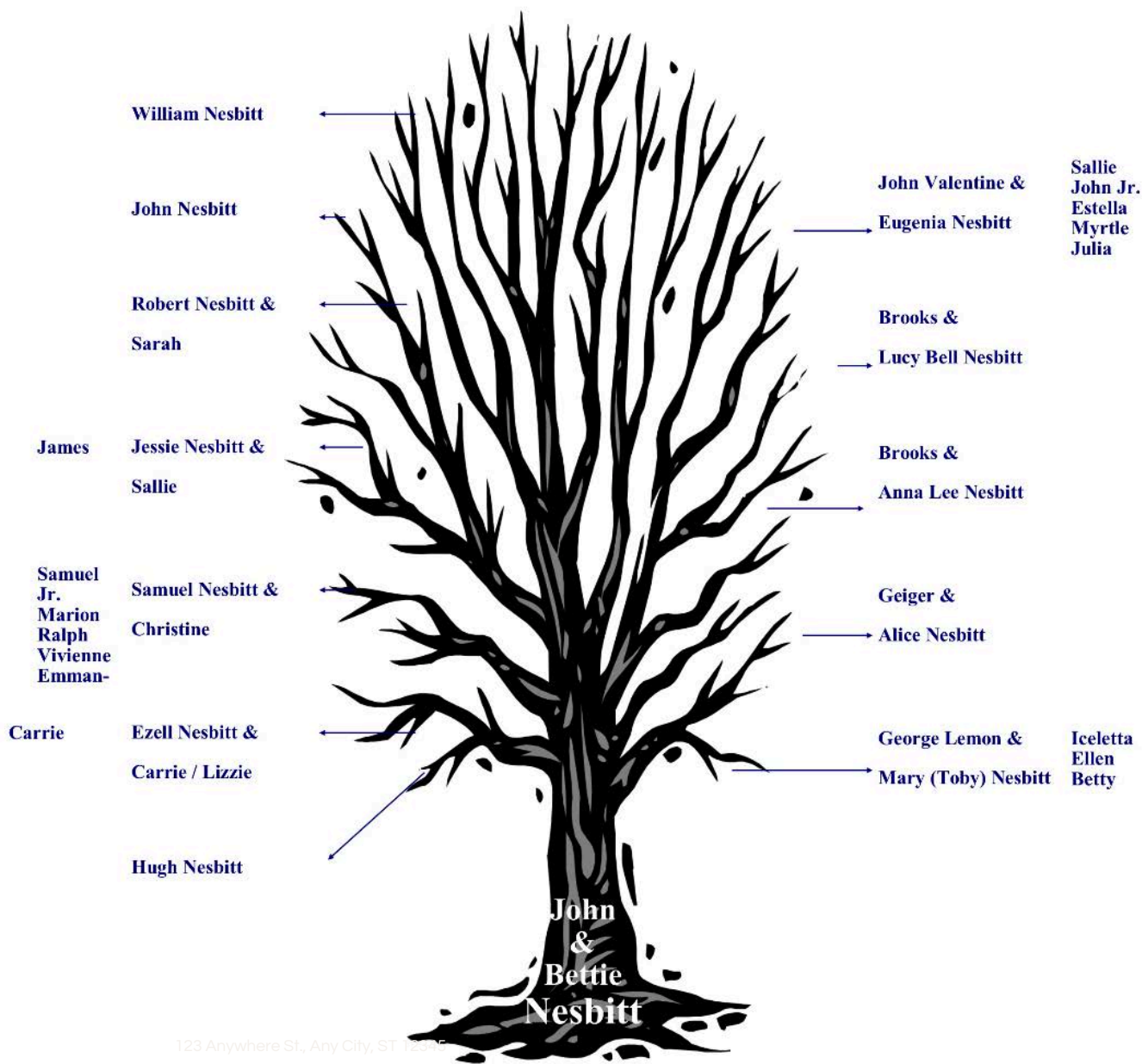
2nd Lt of the United States Air Force

11-97-42 to 05-05-2023

With Love and respect for your service  
from your children,  
LaDeirdre and LaChandra, the 5 grands  
and 3 great-grands



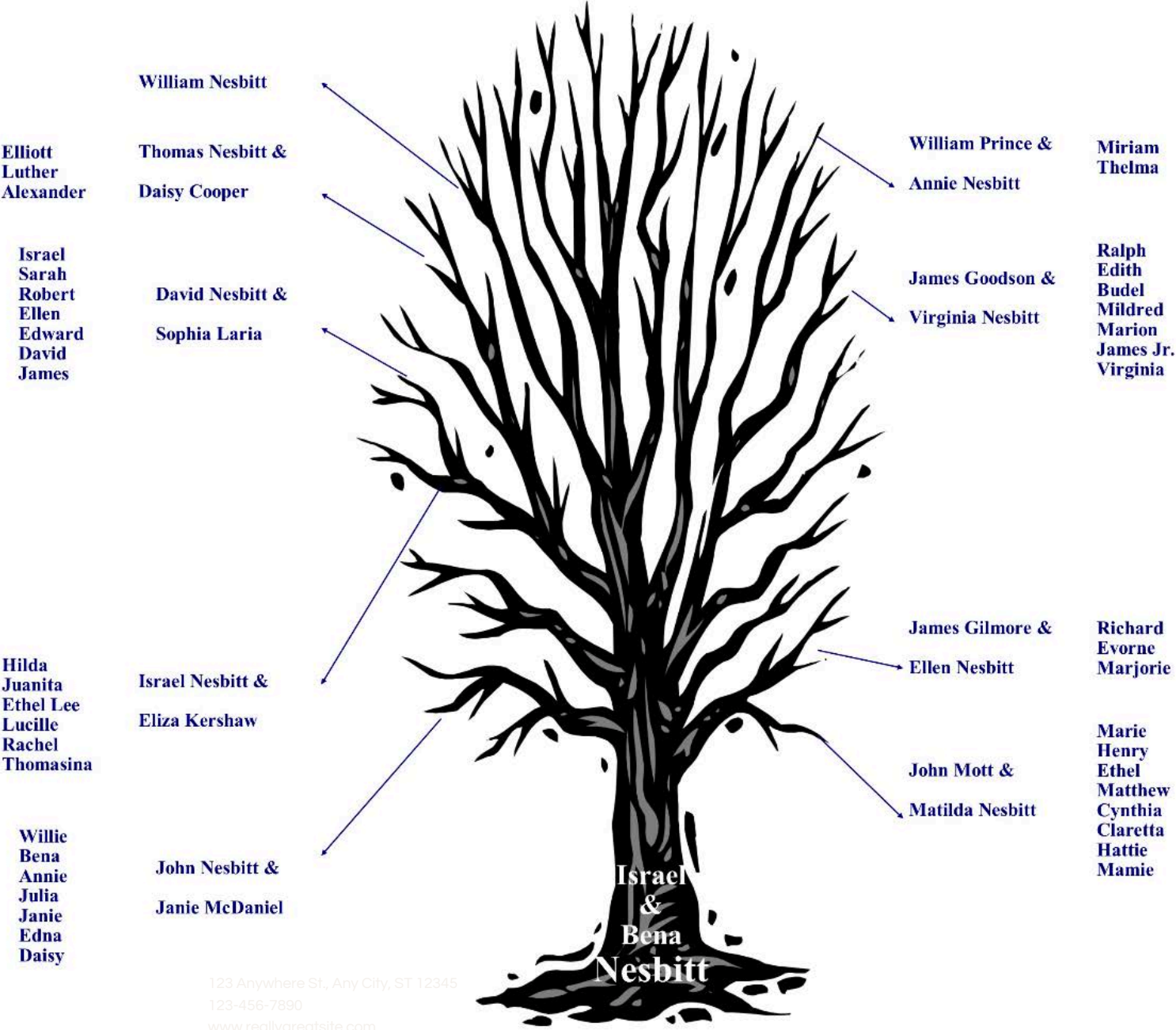
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# ISRAEL & BENA NESBITT



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Parents of John Melvin Sanders & Willette Elaine Sanders  
Lovingly submitted by: John Melvin Sanders

*With Love*

**To the Nesbitt Family**



L-R: Lewis , Jordan and Norma Dean Irvin



L-R: Jackie Dean Griffin, Walter Douglas Dean  
and Norma Dean Irvin



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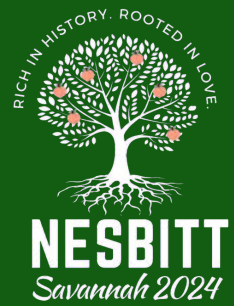
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# NESBITT FAMILY RECORDS



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DEATH  
Russell  
Castwood  
Santa.

town where death occurred Eugenia Valentine  
Dante

ENCE. No. (Usual place of abode) Dante ST. WARD  
(If nonresident give city or town and State)

3. SEX F 4. COLOR OR RACE Col. 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) married

5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED  
HUSBAND OF Sam Valentine  
(OR) WIFE OF

d year) Aug 31-1884  
Days 26 IF LESS THAN  
1 DAY, HRS. OR MIN.

8. Wm. Kaper

year) OCCUPATION

(State or country) Columbia, S.C.

FATHER 13. NAME John Nesbit

14. BIRTHPLACE (city) Columbia, S.C.  
(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME Bettie Nesbit  
Columbia, S.C.  
Wm. Kaper  
Santa Ia

18. BURIAL CREMATION, O  
PLACE Phillips Cemetery DATE 4-28, 1936

19. KER Blanchard Coal Corp  
(ADDRESS) Santa Ia, Pa. 15872  
J. D. Darst

20. FILED Apr 28, 1936

21. DATE OF DEATH (month, day, and year) April 26, 1936

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, THAT I ATTENDED DECEASED FROM July 1st April 26, 1936

I LAST SAW HER ALIVE ON April 26, 1935 DEATH IS SAID  
TO HAVE OCCURRED ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE, AT 6:30 A. M.

THE PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH AND RELATED CAUSES OF IMPORTANCE IN  
ORDER OF ONSET WERE AS FOLLOWS:  
Chronic Interstitial Nephritis Date of onset 11/14/36  
Uremia

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## JOHN NESBITT



*Earned Associates in Business Administration*



*Morgan State University*

*Majoring in Human Resources Management*

*Anticipated graduation, December 2025*

*Enomi Lyn Worley*

Great-great-great granddaughter of

*Israel and Bena Nesbitt*



**Mom and Dad are very proud of you!**



# NESBITT FAMILY RECORDS

1897 City of Columbia Directory



**NESBITT**  
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5/25/2018

AncestryInstitution.com - Columbia, South Carolina, City Directories, 1859, 1875-1900

Columbia, South Carolina, City Directories, 1859, 1875-1903 for Israel Nesbitt

Columbia City Directory 1897-1898

**312 MALONEY DIRECTORY COMPANY'S**

Moore, Wesley (c), lab, res 427 Sumter.  
 Moore, Wm. (c), fireman S. C. & Ga. R. R., res 1617 Indigo.  
 Moran, Henry M. (c), res 907 Pendleton.  
 Morgan, Preston (c), lunch room 1316 Assembly, res 1115 Laurel.  
 Morman, Walters (c), lab, res 2925 Sumter.  
 Morris, Easter (c), laund, res 708 Lumber.  
 Morris, Edward (c), butler J. Alexander, res 708 Lumber.  
 Morris, Frederick (c), porter, res 1610 Lady.  
 Morris, George (c), coachman, res 1414 Gates.  
 Morris, James (c), lab, res 1610 Lady.  
 Morris, Joseph W. (c), pres Allen University, res same.  
 Morrison, Blair (c), drayman, res Senate, Waverly.  
 Morrison, Charles (c), lab, res Senate, Waverly.  
 Morrison, Easter (c), laund, res Heidt, Waverly.  
 Morrison, Lee (c), lab, res Gervais, Waverly.  
 Moser, Isaac (c), lab, res 1009 Blossom.  
 Mosley, Pratt S. (c), printer Nix & Holmes, res 463 Taylor.  
 Motts, Cyrus (c), porter J. Fitzmaurice, res 1428 Indigo.  
 Mott, John (c), porter C. C. Stanley, res 1428 Indigo.  
 Moultry, Eugene (c), lab, res Garnes Ferry rd.  
 Moultry, Isaac (c), lab, res Garnes Ferry rd.  
 Moye, Charles (c), fireman F. C. & P. R. R., res Camden rd.  
 Moye, Martin (c), plumber, res 611 Blanding.  
 Muldrow, Dempsey (c), lab, res 1107 Richland.  
 Muller, Fletcher (c), lab, res 1211 Wheat.  
 Muller, Wm. (c), lab, res 500 Main.  
 Murdock, Edward (c), drayman, res Senate, Waverly.  
 Murphy, Charles (c), lab, res 426 Lincoln.  
 Murphy, David (c), wks W. U. Tel Co, res 1405 Gadsden.  
 Murphy, Robert L. (c), driver R. O. Jones, res Waverly.  
 Murray, Edward (c), lab, res 1231 Gates.  
 Murray, Isaac (c), lab, res 1415 Gadsden.  
 Murray, James (c), lab, res 1318 Tobacco.  
 Murray, Pink (c), cook, res 1231 Gates.  
 Murray, Washington (c), wks Rev. H. R. Mutchison, res same.  
 Myers, Eliza (c), res 1829 Gervais.  
 Myers, Junie (c), laund, res 721 Blossom.  
 Nanse, John L. (c), wks S. C. & Ga. R. R., res Sumter.  
 Nash, Doreas (c), res 1523 Taylor.  
 Nathaniel, Phoebe (c), laund, res 1522 Taylor.  
 Nathans, Charles (c), wks C. J. Carroll, res 1614 Williams.  
 Nathans, Minnie (c), laund, res 1015 Pendleton.  
 Nathans, Susan (c), laund, res 1614 Williams.

**313 COLUMBIA 1897-8 CITY DIRECTORY.**

Neal, Henry (c), gardener, res 1906 Marion.  
 Nelson, Cook P. (c), preacher, res 1516 Marion.  
 Nelson, Flora (c), laund, res 226 Elmwood ave.  
 Nelson, Gary (c), wks T. P. Jeffords, res 921 Gates.  
 Nelson, Helen (c), seamstress, res 428 Taylor.  
 Nelson, Henry (c), painter, res 902 College.  
 Nelson, Henry (c), driver Palmetto Ice Co, res 1419 Gates.  
 Nelson, James (c), lab, res 909 Pendleton.  
 Nelson, John (c), lab, res Wallace row.  
 Nelson, Julia (c), laund, res 908 Wheat.  
 Nelson, Robert (c) (Nelson & Pugh), res 906 Plain.  
 Nelson, Robert (c), butler W. Wallace, res same.  
 Nelson, Samuel O. (c), grocer 602 Blanding, res same.  
 Nelson, Thomas (c), wks So Ry, res 1321 Gregg.  
 Nelson & Pugh (c), barbers 1604 Main.  
 Nesbitt, John (c), lab, res Liberty Hill.  
 Nesbitt, Wm. (c), lab, res Liberty Hill.  
 Nesbitt, Beny (c), laund, res Liberty Hill.  
 Nesbitt, Bettie (c), laund, res 1012 Washington.  
 Nesbitt, David (c), porter E. C. Shull, res Liberty Hill.  
 Nesbitt, Israel (c), porter, res 1012 Washington.  
 Nesbitt, John (c), cook, res Barhamville.  
 Nettles, Charles (c), lab, res 2012 Sumter.  
 Newkirk, Hattie (c), cook, res 1129 Richland.  
 Nichols, Henry (c), barber 1134 Washington, res 900 same.  
 Nichols, Henry (c), barber, res 1324 Lincoln.  
 Nichols, Henry (c), lab, res 928 Senate.  
 Nichols, John (c), grocer 1814 Harden, res 2110 Sumter.  
 Nicholson, Willis (c), lab, res 1011 Pendleton.  
 Nickerson, Anthony H. (c), lab, res 813 Plain.  
 Nickerson, Paul (c), wks Union Depot, res 813 Plain.  
 Nickpee, Robert (c), lab, res 425 Lincoln.  
 Nights, Abraham S. (c), porter Car Natl Bank, res 2001 Gervais.  
 Niles, Carrie (c), laund, res 1407 Gadsden.  
 Niles, Edward (c), lab, res 1314 Gadsden.  
 Nix, S. Heyward (c) (Nix & Holmes), res 1817 Wayne.  
 Nix & Holmes (c) (S. H. Nix, C. F. Holmes), pubrs The People's Recorder, 1115 Taylor.  
 North, Victoria (c), wks Col Steam Dry, res 525 Main.  
 Norton, Solomon (c), wks T. J. Robertson, res 803 Richland.  
 Nowell, Eugene (c), butcher, res 909 Washington.  
 Nowell, John R. (c), hackman, res 1700 Gadsden.  
 Nowell, Martha (c), nurse, res 909 Washington.  
 Nowell, Thomas J. (c), shoemkr Meeting, B'land, res 1525 Main.

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1906 City of Columbia Directory



**NESBITT**  
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South Carolina > Columbia > 1906 > Columbia, South Carolina, City Directory, 1906

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**MOSES**  
Moses Lewis (Martin), wks J Frederick, r 1516 Lumber  
Moss Julius, wks Martin's Stables, r Cayce, S C  
Mott Cyrus, porter J C Moore & Son, r 1226 Barnwell  
Mott John H (Matilda), porter Shand & Lafaye, r Liberty Hill  
Moultrie James (Agnes), carp, r Garner's Ferry Rd  
Moye Alex, lab, r 1400 Divine  
Moye Martin, lab, r 715 Laurel  
Mozie Frank (Viola), lab, r 704 Pickens  
Mozie David (Kizzie), carp, r rear 1614 Plain  
Muldrow John (Susan), lab, r rear 504 Sumter  
Muller Mittie, laund, r 1231 Wheat  
Muller Saml, waiter Caldwell Hotel  
Mundt Benj (Rosa), driver So Cot Oil Co, r 2209 Senate  
Mundy Rebecca, laund, r 1322 Henderson  
Murphy Chas (Agnes), lab, r 916 Rice  
Murphy David (Agnes), lab, r 1429 Gadsden  
Murray Augustus (Essie), driver, r rear 1507 Pendleton  
Murray Edw (Anna), lab, r 1231 Gates  
Murray Geo (Malvina), porter, r Liberty Hill  
Murray Peter (Rosa), lab, r Liberty Hill  
Murray Stephen N, porter Abney Thomson & T, r Camden Rd  
Murray Wm (Ellen), wks V C C Co, r 1701 Gervais  
Murgrove Jerome, lab So Ry, r 2113 Gervais  
Myers Daisy M, tchr Howard sch, 1101 Assembly  
Myers Edw, driver, r rear 1918 Sumter  
Myers Edw, lab, r 1230 Porter's al  
Myers Eliza, laund, r 1829 Gervais  
Myers Isaiah M A, tchr Allen University, r 921 Gates  
Myers Jennie, laund, r 721 Blossom  
Myers Jerry, driver, r rear 1918 Sumter  
Myers Jerry (Flora), butcher, r S End Marion  
Myers Lavinia, laund, r 1221 Gregg  
Myers Lucy, laund, r rear 1918 Sumter  
Myers Paul, butler, r rear 1918 Sumter  
Myers Prince P (Pinky), grocer 1701 Rice, r same  
Myers Richard (Matilda), wks City Pressing Club, r 1306 Barnwell  
Myers Wm F, atty at law 1118 1/2 Washington, r 612 Blanding

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Nelson Jacob (Lizze), lab, r 419 Plain  
Nelson Alex shoemkr 712 Plain, r same  
Nelson Augustus (Mary), painter, r Elmore al  
Nelson Bettie, laund, r 907 Tobacco  
Nelson Charlotte, laund, r 1923 Plain  
Nelson Edw, lab, r 908 Wheat  
Nelson Harry (Frances), lab, r 7 Mohley's al  
Nelson Hattie, cook, r rear 1317 Taylor  
Nelson Helen, dressmkr, r 428 Taylor  
Nelson Henry, wks State Asylum, r rear 1918 Pickens  
Nelson Henry A (Maria), wks T B Roach, r 909 College  
Nelson John, barber R Nelson, r 1432 Lincoln  
Nelson John (Sallie), lab, r 717 Washington  
Nelson Lavinia, laund, r 2112 Richland  
Nelson Margaret, laund, r 1916 Pulaski  
Nelson Robt (Annie), barber 1604 Main, r 1432 Lincoln  
Nelson Robt Jr, barber R Nelson, r 1432 Lincoln  
Nelson Saml (Louisa), painter, r 2107 Washington  
Nelson Wm, lab, r 908 Wheat  
Nesbit Bettie, laund, r 1001 1/2 Washington  
Nesbit David, (Sophie), driver E M Du Pre, r Two Notch Rd  
Nesbit Israel (Eliza), waiter Caldwell Hotel, r Liberty Hill  
Nesbit Israel M, letter carrier, r 1001 1/2 Washington  
Nesbit John (Janie), bricklayer, r Liberty Hill  
Nesbit John (Bettie), cook So Ry, r Kendalltown  
Nesbit Richard, lab, r 1001 1/2 Washington  
Nesbit Robt N (Sarah), bricklayer, r Kendalltown  
Nesbit Walter, wks Lynch-Letton Co, r Kendalltown  
Nichols John (Fannie), porter, r 14 Sprig Park  
Niece Gilbert, lab, r 413 Sumter  
Niece Joseph, lab, r 413 Sumter  
Niece Kizziah, laund, r 11 Graham's al  
Niece Leonard, lab, r 413 Sumter  
Niece Texas, lab, r 413 Sumter  
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# Faith + Family



Sean Mosley, Esq., Serena Mosley, Aza Mosley, Esq.

## Family Updates:

Sean and Aza wed in August of 2019 and were blessed with the birth of their daughter Serena on October 29, 2021







# IN MEMORIAM

**NESBITT FAMILY MEMBERS WE'VE LOST 2018 - 2024**



**Thomas Clark**  
May 2024



**Eric Maurice Robinson**  
February 2023



**John Nesbitt Russell**  
April 2024



**Beverly M. Riddick**  
December 2022



**Patricia Diane Davis**  
January 2024



**Edward J. Fisher**  
June 2022



**Josephine James Stradford**  
December 2023



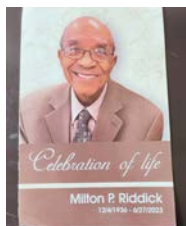
**Gary Maness**  
April 2022



**Trevalyn Rivers Sr.**  
October 2023



**Timothy E. Fisher**  
February 2022



**Milton P. Riddick**  
June 2023



**Ssgt. Marcus N. Fisher**  
July 2021



**Willette Elaine Sanders**  
May 2023



**Nanette Harold-Elliott**  
2021

My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength  
of my heart and my portion forever."





## NESBITT FAMILY MEMBERS WE'VE LOST 2018 - 2024



**Elaine Nesbitt Haskell**  
July 2020



**Julia (Priscilla) Wiley**, 2019



**Melvin Keith Godbolt**,  
June 2020



**Mildred E. Paris**,  
January 2019



**Umphray G. Hall**, May 2020



**Bessie (Pauline)  
Roundtree Williams**  
November 2019



**Gwendolyn S. Henderson**,  
January 2020

**David Williams Sr.**  
February 2020

**Tonya S. Williams**  
(eldest daughter), May 2020

Life passes by so fast, Lord -- I know I'm sure to miss  
A vital part unless You keep reminding me of this.  
There's so much that I want to do, a lot I've left undone,  
So many plans discarded - and a few I've not begun.

Life passes by so fast, Lord - How often I've been told,  
It always does around the time that we are growing old.  
"For everything there's a season" is wise as well as just,  
But I had rather wear me out - Than fall apart with rust.

Life passes by so fast, Lord, the days, months, the years,  
Lord keep a smile upon my lips, and blot away my tears.  
Teach me to lean upon Your Arm when pain and sickness strike,

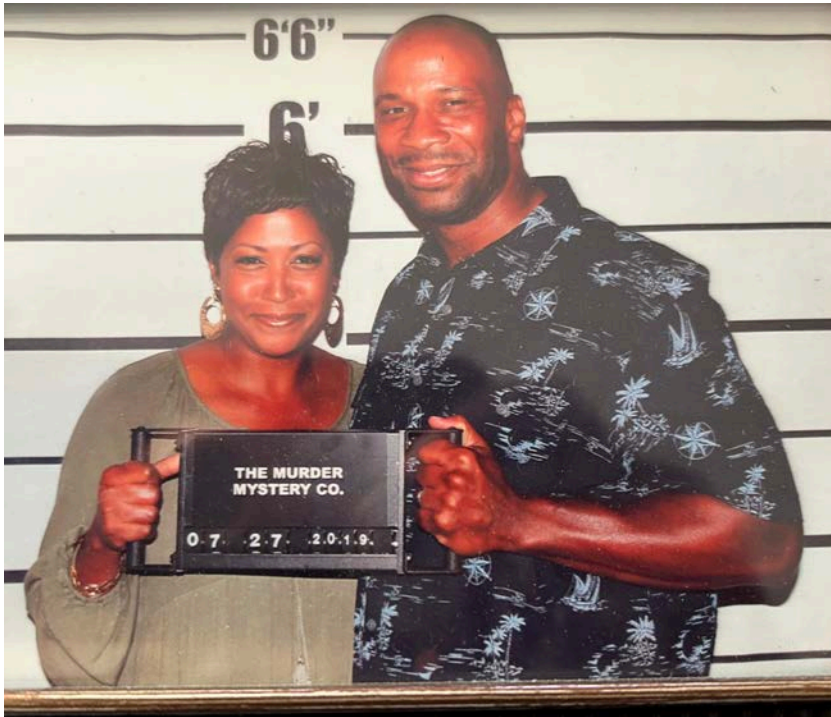
To tell the facts from fantasies, that sometimes look alike.  
Life passes by so fast, Lord, and yet how kind You are  
In granting me the precious years that I have had so far.  
So let the days grow shorter, the darkest shadows part,  
But put the wrinkles on my face.....And never on my heart!

# THE PASSING YEARS

BY GRACE E. EASLEY



# To my *loving* husband...



Brenda and Rick Truesdale

and devoted father,  
Rick Truesdale:  
Happy 27th Anniversary  
on July 26th and I look  
forward to many more  
with you!

Love,  
Brenda

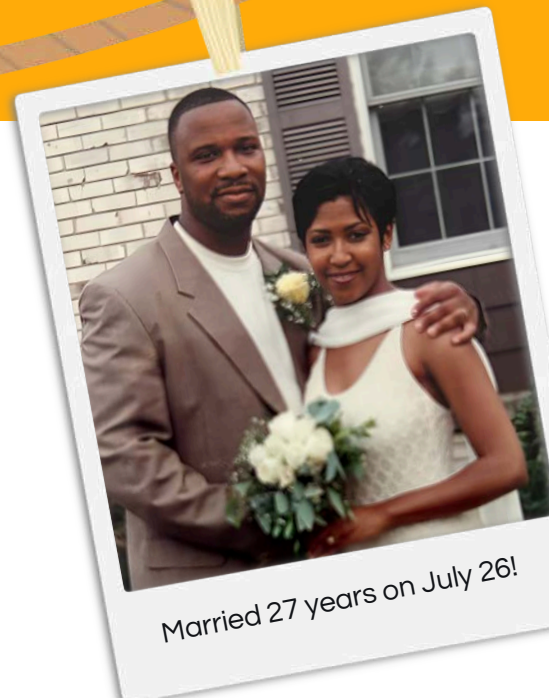
Brionna, congratulations on achieving your BA Degree from Towson University and your teaching career, and Blair for your Certificate of Excellence from 2023-2024 from Bowie State University. I am so proud and love you both so much. - Mom



Brionna Truesdale



Blair Truesdale

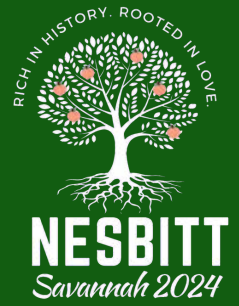


Married 27 years on July 26!



# VERY IMPORTANT NESBITTS

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**2022- 2024**

**ALL THE THINGS! ENGAGEMENTS, WEDDINGS, BIRTHS, GRADUATIONS, RECOGNITIONS & AWARDS**

## **GRADUATIONS**

**Caylah Dean Atkins:** Middle School (Midland Arts Conservatory) - 2023, rising 10th Grader

**Cayden Dean Atkins:** Middle School (Midland Arts Conservatory) - 2023, rising 10th Grader

**Sahana Dru Bradley:** Middle School (Basis DC) - 2024. Earned admission to the National Cathedral School of Washington, DC (High School)

**Jacob Edward Fitchett:** High School (The McDonogh School) - 2022, and is currently a Sophomore attending Florida A&M, majoring in Computer Science/Cyber Security

**Sanai Ranae Fitchett:** College (Prairie View A&M) - 2024  
Earned a Bachelors of Science in Computer Science, Cum Laude

**Yaairah D. Foster:** High School (Smryna High School) - 2023, In process to obtain certification as a childcare worker.

**Asha Glenn :** High School (Claremont Middle School) - 2022, rising 11th Grader

**Austin Edward Griffin Swartz:** High School (Cannon School) - 2024  
Earned admission to the University of Miami on a full athletics scholarship

**Boston Rohan:** High School (Windsor High School, California) - 2022

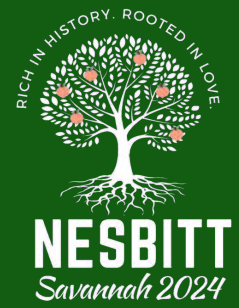
**Shakera Stewart:** College (Joseph's University) - 2024  
Earned a Masters Degree in Health Administration.

**Brionna Truesdale:** College (Towson University) - 2022. Earned Bachelor's of Art Degree from Towson University, and is currently teaching at Eleanor Roosevelt High School.

**Blair Truesdale:** Transferred to Bowie State University as a History & Government Major; received Certificate of Excellence from Dept of History & Government for outstanding scholastic achievements for the 2023-2024 academic Year.

**Ella Weston:** High School (Berkmar High School) - 2020, and is currently attending Georgia Gwinnett College. She is Majoring in Film and is currently on the Dean's List.

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## 2022- 2024 GRADUATIONS (CONT'D )

**Taarif Willis:** promoted to 6th Grade (Sunnyside Elementary) - 2024

**Taslim Willis:** promoted to 4th Grade (Sunnyside Elementary) - 2024

**Enomi Lyn Worley:** College (Harford Community College) - 2023. Earned an Associates of Science in Business Administration. She is currently attending Morgan State University, majoring in Human Resources Management, set to graduate in 2025.

**WEDDINGS** Kyle and Sierra Staten - wed May 21, 2024

## RECOGNITIONS & AWARDS

**Christina Cachie:**

- Named a Washingtonian Magazine's Top Agent 2023, and a 2024 GCAAR Realtor Silver Winner

**Terry Wiley Kendrick:**

- Honored by Grace Baptist Church "*Consistent Sunday Alter Beautificaiton*" - 2022

**Sean Mosley, Esq:**

- Celebrated as Waterbury Connecticut's African-American "*Mayor for the Day*" - 2024
- Named "*Administrator of the Year*" for the City of Waterbury - 2024
- Awarded the 2024 Juneteenth Black Dads Matter Award from Bridge to Success in Waterbury - 2024
- Elected to the Board of Alderman in Waterbury representing the 3rd Aldermanic District- 2023

**Aza Mosley, Esq:**

- Admitted to the Connecticut District Court Federal Bar - 2024
- Inducted into Jack and Jill of America, Incorporated with Serena and Sean Aza Mosley - 2024
- Named "*One of Connecticut's Most Influential African-Americans*" by the Connecticut Chapter of the NAACP - 2024
- Inducted into the Links Incorporated, Waterbury Chapter
- Honored for her military Service by Black Women United of Waterbury, Connecticut

**Serena Mosley:**

- Baby Dedication: Grace Baptist Church in Waterbury Connecticut - 2022
- Dance Recital: with the Tia Russell Dance School in New Haven, CT at the Lyman Center for Performing Arts - 2023 and 2024

**Brenda Truesdale:**

- Promoted to Associated Director of Guidehouse Inc. Legal Department, Federal Sector

**Richard Truesdale:**

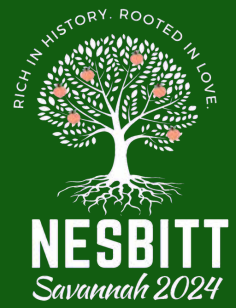
- 2023 Recipient of Science Spectrum Trailblazer Award at 2023 BEYA STEM Conference



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2022- 2024 **FAMILY UPDATES (CONT'D )**



## THE LATE FARRIS A. WESTON'S CHILDREN

**Derek Weston's daughter Ya'el L. Weston**, was born on May 24th 2018.  
His son, **Jahmyre-Kadeem Farris Elison-Weston**, was born January 29th 2023.

**Aliyia J. Weston**, graduated on December 9th, 2023 from Gwinnett Technical College, located in Lawrenceville, Ga. with a Diploma in Accounting.

**Gabrielle, L.J. Weston**, graduated from Berkmar High School, located in Lilburn, Ga, with a 3.3 GPA, in May of 2022. She enrolled in Savannah College of Arts and Design (SCAD), located in Atlanta, Georgia, in August of 2022. She majored in Fashion Design.

The Grandchildren: **Ya'el L. Weston**, graduated Kindergarten, in May of 2024. **Janiyah A. Mills**, graduated Kindergarten (Honor Roll), from Bethesda Elementary School, located in Lawrenceville, Georgia, in May of 2023. **U'nytii R. Tate-Weston**, graduated the 5th grade, in May of 2022.

**Inyahsha J. Weston**, Graduated Kindergarten, May of 2022.

**Jeremiah A. Mills**, Graduated Kindergarten, from Bethesda Elementary School, located in the Lawrenceville, Ga, in May of 2022.

**Janiyah N. Mills**, Graduated Pre-K, from Gabri-Ella's Educational Wonderland, located in Lawrenceville, Ga, in May of 2021.

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SAHANA DRU BRADLEY



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Congrats to you Sahana on earning admission to the National Cathedral School of Washington, DC.  
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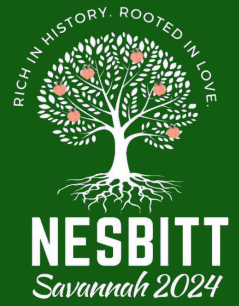
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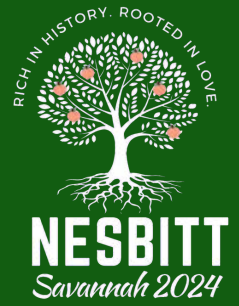
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