

The 47th Killian Reunion

The 47th Annual Killian Reunion was held Sunday, September 13, 1981 at 3 p.m. at Castanea Presbyterian Church, Lucia, North Carolina.

President Rhonda Martin welcomed the group and the meeting opened with the Hymn, "Faith of Our Fathers."

Wanda McElveen presented devotions on Brotherly Love.

Each person present introduced himself and told his lineage and gave other information concerning places or events.

Minutes of the September 14, 1980 meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer Robert Killian reported a balance of \$214.85. It was reflected in the treasurer's report that \$75.00 had been returned by James Green as he had not used this for Historical purposes.

Robert Killian reported that Mr. Oscar Carpenter, our oldest clan member, had died recently. *at the age of*

Lucy Killian explained an Ancestral Chart which was given to members with the request that it be used to bring up to date each branch of the Killian Clan.

Historian Bill Killian reported that 250 books of THE KILLIAN FAMILY IN NORTH CAROLINA had been printed with 68 sold. Cost is \$4.00 for each book. He also announced that George Killian is having reprints made of THE KILLIAN FAMILY for \$12.00.

John Killian moved that \$25.00 be donated to Castanea Church. Motion carried.

Members approved placing an Ad in the Genealogical Helper for meeting time and place next year, which will be at Castanea Church.

John Killian was elected Vice President and Fred Killian will become President for 1982 and 1983.

Bill Pope announced a meeting of the Killian Clan in Rossville, Georgia, on the third Sunday in September.

The meeting closed with singing "Bless Be The Tie That Binds."

Pastor Whitlock dismissed the group with the benediction and blessing, after which pictures were taken by Historian James Green, and all joined together with fellowship and a covered dish dinner.

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Secretary