

MCLAMB FAMILY REUNION

September 3, 2022

*Continuing to Strengthen Family Ties Through Kinship,
Friendship and Fellowship*

The McLamb Family Reunion Descendants of Dublin and Eliza Jane Hobbs McLamb

Greetings...Descendants of Dublin and Eliza Jane Hobbs McLamb

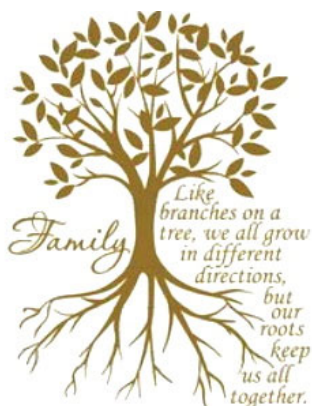
*Welcome to the 69th McLamb Family Reunion. The committee chose not to rush back to a normal reunion again this year. We all know COVID has not gone away; therefore this one day **Cookout-Picnic** in the Park is a precursor to getting us back on track. Our hope is we will be able to gather together and celebrate our 70th Family Reunion in 2023*

We hope you feel comfortable enough to enjoy and participate in activities planned for today's outdoor Cookout-Picnic. As we gather today, let's wear a mask and social distance when we eat and play games. Hand sanitizers and extra face masks will be available. And most important, if you have flu like symptoms, feel sick and/or have a fever, please keep a face mask on to cover your nose and mouth at all times when around others.

A Note from the President on the 2021 McLamb Family Reunion

*I can proudly say that we our **First Family Reunion** on Zoom in 2021 was a tremendous success. After skipping the reunion in 2020 due to the pandemic and "shutdowns," the committee felt we couldn't do that again. Therefore, a Zoom reunion was held, and it was worth it. We had new first time family members to join us. I know we had callers from Arizona, California, Florida, Kentucky, Philadelphia, and probably others states too. Based on the Zoom connections and those in same household we had approximately 80 to 90 participants for the 2021 Zoom Reunion. We had video presentations Celebrating Family Accomplishments, a WRAL Tar Heel Traveler video on the 1918 Pandemic, and the Memorial Service too. It was great having a panel discussion on COVID from family members and two guest speakers. We had the hat contest and also two door prizes were given away. We did it all via Zoom as if we were in the same room.*

In all things, I give thanks....Linda McLamb Owens



The Family Reunion will be broadcast on Zoom from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. for those out of town and/or out of state.

Meeting ID: 666 703 0667

Passcode: A2XL9i

Submit ideas or questions in Zoom chat for Open Discussion for 2023 Reunion

Registration	Alfred Faison and Vada M. Williams (<i>The Treasurers</i>)
Welcome	Linda McLamb Owens (<i>President</i>)
Unity Prayer	Minister Lisa W. Cooper
Song	Group singing
Family Introductions	Designated family member
Family highlights	Linda McLamb Owens (Zoom Presentation)
Memorial Tribute	Brief comments and Moment of silence for <i>Lloyd Draughon, Jr., Maggie B. McLamb and others</i>
Grace	Lenora W. Morrisey
Picnic / Cookout	1:30 p.m.
Games	Everyone

Open Discussion for 70th Reunion (2023)

1. Ideas – Seventy theme, Family Cookbook with recipes that tell a family story
2. Location – **Clinton** (Friday – “meet and greet,” Saturday - picnic/cookout, Sunday – Banquet)
3. 2024 Committee **Planners**: Doris M. McLamb, Crissy Timmons, Andrea McLamb, Dail McLamb
4. Other Input, Comments, Announcements, etc.

Closing Prayer	Vada M. Williams
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A Proud Past and a Vital Future

You may never know the *Value* of a moment until it becomes a *Memory*



The McLamb Family Reunion lost an iconic figure June 25, 2022 with the loss of **Lloyd Draughon, Jr.** He was the former president of the McLamb Family Reunion. He was the son of Vonnie McLamb, the daughter of Isaac McLamb. He was in the ancestry line of Alexander McLamb.

Lloyd Jr as we affectionately called him was part of the planning committee for over 30 years. He became one of the designated cooks for the reunions and took this duty very serious. He was known for showing up at our cookouts and reunions with his grill in tow.

Maggie Boykin McLamb celebrated her 102 birthday May 27, 2022. Maggie married the late James Elwood McLamb who was the son of Henry McLamb. Unfortunately we loss her June 19, 2022.



Patricia McLamb Parker (1948 - 2022)

The Granddaughter of Isaac & Annie Surles McLamb. Daughter Deams McLamb and Letha Hobbs McLamb. She was in the ancestry line of **Alexander McLamb**.

Janet McLamb Lindsey (1959 - 2022)

Janet was the daughter of Alfonza McLamb and Rena Hobbs McLamb. She was the granddaughter of Edgar McLamb and was in the ancestry line of **Susan McLamb**.

Tynysa Renee Surles (1975 - 2022)

She was the daughter of Rufus Lee and Alice Surles. She was the granddaughter of Floyd Surles and Daisy McPhail. Sudie McLamb Surles was her great grandmother. She was in the ancestry line of **Emma McLamb**.

Lottie Lorene Hunter (1936 - 2021)

Lorene was the daughter of Lottie McLamb and Walter D. Mathis. Lorene was in the ancestry line of **Susan McLamb**.

Cain Demetrus Bryant (1974 - 2022)

He was the son of Iris Bryant and great-grandson of Ella McLamb Hobbs. He is in the ancestry line of **Moses McLamb**.



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The McLamb Family will always cherish our memories and time spent with Cousin Eddie. He was the Great grandson of Edgar McLamb.

Eddie Delanta Williams (1967 - 2021)

He was the son of the late Stella McLamb (Alphonso McLamb-Rena Hobbs) and the great grandson of **Edgar McLamb**. Eddie lost his nephew **Brent Antwain McCollum** May 29, 2022. They were in the ancestry line of **Susan McLamb**.



Family Reunion



Saturday, September 3
Cookout / Picnic

RAIN OR **SHINE**

Royal Lane Park
Clinton, NC

12:00—5:00 p.m.
*Food served around
1:30 p.m.*

*You are encouraged to bring
a lawn chair to help with any
social distancing concerns*



Optional...T-shirt color to wear at
cookout for your branch

- Alexander = **Blue***
- Minnie = **Red***
- Susan = **Black***
- Emma (select a color)*
- Moses (select a color)*
- Nora (select a color)*

Registration Dues

Age 13 to Adults	\$20.00
Age 6 to 12	\$10.00
Age 80+	\$10.00
Age 0 to 5	Free

Picnic food

Chicken fried and baked, Cole
Slaw, Potato Salad, Green
Beans, BBQ, hushpuppies

Cookout food

Hot Dogs, Fish (?)
And all the fixings!

Games

Bingo, corn hole, kick and
dodge ball, relay games,
puzzles and other games

There are playgrounds for the
very young

The Planning Committee

- Linda M. Owens (Chair) 919-215-0538
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- Albert Faison (Treasurer) 910-990-0226
- Vada Williams (Asst Treasurer) 910-990-2073
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- Doris McLamb,
- Ethel Hailey,
- Milton Draughon,
- Latoya Draughon
- Dail McLamb
- Crissy Timmons



*“My dear friends:
Your vote is precious,
almost sacred. It is
the most powerful
nonviolent tool we
have to create a more
perfect union.”*

*John Lewis
US House Representative*

