

# H.D. POPE FUNERAL HOME

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## #We Believe - Prayers for Derrin

*"We are in it to win it!"*

According to the World Health Organization, there are more than 100 types of cancer that can affect the body. It is estimated there will be 1,685,210 new cases in the United States this year. While incidence rates are higher among men than women, cancer is not limited to a particular gender, social class, ethnic group, or age group. In fact, many of us have been affected by cancer in some way, whether directly or through a family member or friend.

Very recently, a 15-year-old Roanoke Rapids resident began his battle with cancer. Derrin Mallory—son of Angela Mallory and Derrick Mallory & grandson of Willie Edwards and the late Queen Edwards & Bobby Mallory and Juanita Saunders—is a student-athlete and honor student at Roanoke Rapids High School. He is active in many extracurricular activities and was installed as Sophomore Class President for the 2016-17 school year.

After visiting the hospital for fatigue, Derrin was surprisingly diagnosed with acute lymphocytic leukemia (ALL)—also called acute lymphoblastic leukemia. The Mayo Clinic defines ALL as “a type of cancer of the blood and bone marrow—the spongy tissue inside bones where blood cells are made. Acute lymphocytic leukemia is the most common type of cancer in children, and treatment results in a good chance for a cure.” Derrin's family is very optimistic about the journey ahead as they trust God for complete healing. They realize there will be challenges, but they are “in it to win it!”

## July

4 - Independence Day

18 - Nelson Mandela Day



**520 Smith Church Rd.**  
Roanoke Rapids, NC 27870  
Phone: 252-535-1228  
Fax: 252-535-1344



**325 Nash St.**  
Rocky Mount, NC 27804  
Phone: 252-446-9696  
Fax: 252-446-9697

In addition to prayer, you can assist Derrin and his family by supporting one or some of the local fundraisers. Monetary donations (checks made payable to Angela Mallory) can be sent to the following address:

Fundraiser for Derrin Mallory  
 108 Frog Level Dr.  
 Roanoke Rapids, NC 27870

**HOT DOG BAG LUNCH \$6**

Wednesday, July 20, 2016, 11am-2pm

Probuild Parking Lot, Roanoke Rapids

2 hot dogs, chips, snack & drink (water)

Lunches may be pre-ordered by contacting Jackie Robinson at 252-365-1114. Orders of 10 bags or more can be delivered. Lunches can be purchased on the day of the fundraiser until they are sold out.

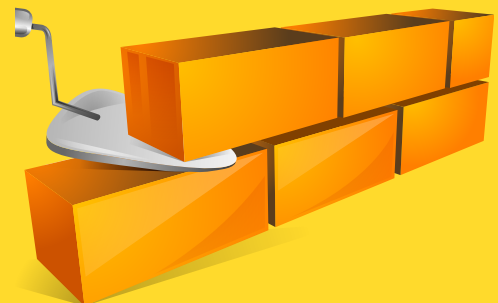
Sources: American Cancer Society, Mayo Clinic, World Health Organization



Flyer: Facebook

**HCC'S BRICK BY BRICK CAMPAIGN**

The Halifax Community College Foundation Inc. is offering a wonderful opportunity for you to support its students and show your commitment to educational excellence through its first-ever Brick-by-Brick Campaign, "Order Our Steps." Engraved bricks will be featured at the main entrance to The Centre, its premier multipurpose venue, and will be sold throughout the remainder of the year. Your brick will be visible for generations to come. Purchase of a brick is tax- deductible, according to applicable tax law. Proceeds will provide assistance to the Foundation to support scholarships, events, activities and operating expenses. To download and complete an order form, look for the brick image on the funeral home's website.



	NAME	DATE OF BIRTH	DATE OF DEATH
<p><b>BRICK BY BRICK CAMPAIGN</b></p>	William Watson	June 7, 1932	January 23, 2016
	Catherine Harrison	September 16, 1946	January 27, 2016
	Iola Johnson	October 15, 1926	January 30, 2016
	Cathy Wooten	January 25, 1957	February 8, 2016
	Joshua Outen	March 24, 1943	February 10, 2016
	Wallace Parham	July 11, 1928	February 15, 2016
	Elbert Barrett	January 1, 1940	February 16, 2016
	Jennie Odom	December 21, 1936	February 15, 2016
	Verdena Evans	November 2, 1965	February 25, 2016
	Horace Batchelor	September 17, 1946	March 17, 2016
	Milton Barnes	June 2, 1936	March 21, 2016