The 136th Flemister-Baulding family reunion was held at the family reunion site in Dallas, Georgia Sunday, August 26, 2018 begin at approximately 1:30 pm.

Wallace Flemister son of McKinley “Mac” and Odessie Flemister led the congregation in an opening hymn “Let Jesus Led You.”

Pastor James Griffin read a scripture from Psalms 133.

Pastor Larry Jones led the family in prayer.

Miss Eliana Hall, daughter of Channing and Saquilla Hall, Granddaughter of Al and Rita Robinson, Great granddaughter of Isaiah and Bertha Fitgerald, great-great granddaughter of Alfred and Emma Flemister welcomed the family to this year’s reunion.

Juanita Flemister, daughter of Wallace and Josephine Flemister, granddaughter of McKinley “Mac” and Odessie Flemister led the congregation in song “Lillie of the Valley”.

Kyla Flemister, Daughter of Candance Flemister and granddaughter of Chester and Alice Flemister led the family in reciting the family charge.

Pastor Brendan Jenkins, Pastor of the Rocky Ford Baptist Church led the congregation in song with “Come to Jesus” and family in a moment of Prayer of dedication & re-dedication and opened the floor for Invitation to Discipleship.

President Frank Baulding led the family in a moment of Silent prayer in tribute to our beloved decreased family members.

**Presentations and Recognition:**

**First time attendees:** London Taylor, Resha Griffin, Deborah Moran, Tennelle Thurman, George Moran, Betty Moran, John Moran, Ernestine Taylor, Jasmine Taylor, Nadine Butler, Jonathan Myatt, Regina Hutchinson, Curtis Clark, Brianna Clark, Sherri Cager, Timmy Cager, Jackie Skates, Alyanna Williams, Apaulo Taylor, James Butler, Elaine Myatt and M’Kayla Johnson Myatt all from Pittsburgh, PA or Nashville TN.

**Newborns:**

 Micah Sims, Bianna Greyson Myers - This information was giving in the meeting but no information was received at registration desk.

Olivia Walker born July 2, 2017. Olivia is the daughter of AleishaBankston, granddaughter of Jennifer Bankston, great granddaughter of James and Betty Bankston.

**Newborns continued:**

Zamauri Reeder born February 17, 2018. Zamauri is a son of Ebony Reeder, great grandson of Raymond Sr. and Gertrude Bankston.

Isaiah Julian born May 29, 2018. Isaiah is son of Dominique Julian, grandson of Lonnie and Rose (Bankston) Julian, Great grandson of James and Betty Bankston.

Noah Frances Baulding Lawrence born May 21, 2018. Noah is the son of Myron Lawrence. Grandson of Frances Baulding. Great grandson of Mary Frances and Edward Baulding.

AAliyah and Camren Alford born August 13, 2012. Venna Flemister Alford is there mother. Grand parents are Eric C. Flemister and Alma Staten. Great grandparents Doris E. and Willard Flemister.

**Deaths:**

Ira Bankston Sr passed away March 5, 2016. Ira was the son of Roy and Addie (Williams) Bankston. Grandson of Spurgeon and Leila (Flemister) Williams and great grandson of Charlie and Annie Flemister.

John Bankston passed away November 2016. John was a son of Roy and Addie (Williams) Bankston. Grandson of Spurgeon and Leila (Flemister) Williams and great grandson of Charlie and Annie Flemister.

James Bankston passed away May 27, 2017. James was the son of Roy and Addie (Williams) Bankston. Grandson of Spurgeon and Leila (Flemister) Williams and great grandson of Charlie and Annie Flemister.

Timothy Bankston passed away December 24, 2017. Timothy was the son of Roy and Addie (Williams) Bankston. Grandson of Spurgeon and Leila (Flemister) Williams and great grandson of Charlie and Annie Flemister.

George “Snodie” Flemister passed away July 1, 2018. George who was fondly known as Snodie was the son of Emma and Alfred “Preach” Flemister. Grandson of Charlie and Annie Flemister.

Howard Harris passed away August 22, 2018. He is the son of Effie and Bernard Harris. Howard is the grandson of McKinley and Odessia Flemister. Great grandson of Charlie and Annie Flemister.

Frances Baulding passed away January 30, 2016. Frances was the daughter of Edward Baulding and Mary Baulding Hawkins.

**Death’s continue:**

Lucy Baulding passed away February 4, 2018. Lucy was the daughter of Edward Baulding and Mary Baulding Hawkins.

Ellen Benita Flemister passed away December 17, 2017. Ellen was the daughter of Doris and Willard Flemister. Granddaughter of Emma (Heard) and Alfred “Preach” Flemister. Great granddaughter of Annie and Charlie Flemister.

**Retirees:**

No recorded

**Graduates:**

Jasyln Davis daughter of LaBrea Davis. She is the granddaughter of Lillian and Jimmy Davie. Granddaughter of Isaiah and Bertha Fitgerald, great granddaughter of Emma (Heard) and Alfred “Preach” Flemister. Great great granddaughter of Annie and Charlie Flemister. She will be attending Albany Universary.

Jannard Rainey II is the son of Krystal and Jannard Rainey. Grandson of Elsie and Grant Rainey Sr. Great grandson of Odessia and McKinley”Mac” Flemister and great grandson of Annie and Charlie Flemister. He will be attending LSU.

Myiah Fitzgerald is the daughter of Isaiah and Trudy Fitzgerald. Granddaughter of Isaiah and Bertha Fitgerald, great granddaughter of Emma (Heard) and Alfred “Preach” Flemister. Great great granddaughter of Annie and Charlie Flemister. She will be attending Middle Georgia State University.

Rainey Anderson is the son of Anthony and Ginger Anderson. Rainey is the grandson of Elsie and Grant Rainey, Sr. great grandson of Odessia and McKinley ”Mac” Flemister and great great grandson of Annie and Charlie Flemister. He will be attending Texas State University.

**Marriages:**

Jason Bankston married Juanita Ayanna Sawyer January 16, 2017. Jason is son of Timothy and Muriel Bankston, grandson of Roy and Addie (Williams) Bankston, great grandson of Spurgeon and Leila (Flemister) Williams.

James Julian married Teresa Williams July 26, 2018. James is the son of Lonnie anf Rose (Bankston) Julian, grandson of James and Betty Bankston, great grandson of roy and Addie (Williams) bankston.

Marriages continue:

Vienna Flemister and Ollie Alford married March 5, 2015 in Buffalo NY.. Vienna is the daughter of Eric C. Flemister SR and Alma Staten. Her grandparents are Doris E. and Willard Flemister.

Yvonne and Shundreca Flemister married December 27, 2017 in Douglasville GA. Shunsreca is the daughter of Lance Flemister and Jean Fleming.

Celebration of family attending 50+ years or more:

1. Paul Flemister – 84 years
2. Wallace Flemister -82 years
3. Bertha Fitzgerald – 88 years
4. Majorie Waldon
5. Esther Sims
6. Eunice Turner
7. Pearl Dobbs
8. Rita Robinson
9. Robert Tittle
10. Frank Baulding
11. Chester Flemister

Military: None recorded

Treasury Report was not given due to the passing of the treasurer Howard Harris, son of Bernard and Effie Flemister Harris. Donnie Baulding was the assistant treasurer who was voted in and motion made by Lillian Davis and seconded by Larry Jones. Statements of expenditures will be provided for any family member who wished to have a copy.

President Baulding and President Emeritus Paul Flemister provided their comments and thanks for this year’s reunion.

Al Robinson, Chairman of the food committee provided instructions for the serving lines. President Frank Baulding gave the blessing over the food and the2018 meeting was adjourned.