

Silas Eastham “Sicy” Anderson Sr. Obt.

b. 25 May 1900, Nashville, Davidson Co., TN – d. 18 July 1988, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 26th of December 1925, DeKalb Co., TN to **Lula Lee (Norris) Anderson**, b. 22 September 1908, Algood, Putnam Co., TN – d. 27 April 1995, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Harvey Lee Norris** (1873-1939) & **Mary Lula Harp** (1873-1957), both buried in Algood Cemetery, Algood, Putnam Co., TN. Silas E. “Sicy” Anderson Sr., s/o **Silas Frances Anderson** (1863-1949) & **Maggie Lena Eastham** (1871-1913).

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(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, DeKalb Co., TN, pg. 73 - Silas E. Anderson married 26 December 1925, DeKalb Co., TN to Lula Lee Norris).

COOKEVILLE – Funeral services for Silas E. Anderson Sr., 88, of Cookeville will be held tomorrow, July 20, at 2 PM in the Chapel of Hooper-Huddleston Funeral Home with burial in Crest Lawn Cemetery.

Mr. Anderson died Monday July 18, 1988 in Cookeville Care Center.

Born May 25, 1900 in Nashville, he was the son of the late Silas F. and Maggie Lena Eastham Anderson.

Mr. Anderson was a federal officer for almost 40 years before his retirement from the U.S. Treasury Department’s Alcohol Tax Unit in 1965. He served in Memphis, Nashville, Cookeville, and Greenville. He attended Tennessee Technical Institute and Milligan College. He taught at Cookeville City School, Hopewell, and Algood High School before joining the Treasury Department in 1928.

His family includes his wife, Lula Lee Norris Anderson; 3 sons, Silas E. Anderson Jr., of Baxter, James N. Anderson of Tullahoma, and John S. Anderson of Cookeville; 2 daughters, Mary Lena Bradshaw of Tullahoma, and Barbara J. Headrick of Oak Ridge; 1 brother, John O. Anderson of Silver Point; and 7 grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 3-5 and 7-9 today, July 19.

Reverend Ray West, Reverend Randall Ganues, and Reverend Lexie Freeman will officiate at the services.

(1900 census 19th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 243 – **Harvey Norris** is head of household, 26 yrs. old, b. April 1874, TN, (Occupation: House Carpenter), md to **Mary**, 26 yrs. old, b. October 1873, TN, 3 children born, 3 children living. Children: Jay B., 5 yrs. old, b. October 1894; Nettie W., 4 yrs. old, b. February 1896 & Vada Norris, 11/12 yrs. old, b. June 1899. All born in TN).

(1910 census 19th Civil Dist., Algood, Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 66 – **Harvey L. Norris** is head of household, 37 yrs. old, TN, (parent both born in TN), (Occupation: Foreman Spoke Mfg. Co.), md 18 yrs. to **Mary L.**, 36 yrs. old, TN, 5 children born, 5 children living. Children: James B., 16 yrs. old; Nettie W., 14 yrs. old; Vada M., 11 yrs. old; Thelma F., 8 yrs. old & **Lula L. Norris**, 18/12 yrs. old. All born in TN).

(1930 census, Russell St., Nashville, Davidson Co., TN: Dwl: 420 - **Silas F. Anderson**, 66 yrs. old, TN, widow. Children: Jessie S., 37 yrs. old; Silas E., 29 yrs. old; Nellie, 26 yrs. old; John, 24 yrs. old; Edna, 22 yrs. old; Lula Lee, daughter-in-law; Maggie, 19 yrs. old; Marvin, grandson; Silas E. Jr., 3+ yrs. old & Mary Lena Anderson, granddaughter, 7/12 yrs. old. All born in TN. Also living in the household: Silas Ray McGee, nephew, 36 yrs. old, TN).

(1940 census 1st Civil Dist., Cherry St., Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 213 – **Silas E. Anderson**, 39 yrs. old, TN, (Occupation: Investigator Alcohol Tax Unit), md to **Lula Lee Anderson**, 31 yrs. old, TN. Children: Silas E. Jr., 13 yrs. old; Mary Lena, 10 yrs. old & Barbara Jean Anderson, 8 yrs. old, TN. All born in TN).

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Courtesy of Barbara (Anderson) Headrick

Father, Grandfather of Oak Ridgers:

Silas E. Anderson Sr., 88, of Cookeville, died Monday, July 18, in the Cookeville Health Care Center where he had been a resident for the past six months. He had been ill for some time prior to entering the health care center.

He was the father of Barbara (Mrs. Bill) Headrick of 113 Montana Ave. and the grandfather of Dr. Marcia Headrick Iddins, a veterinarian in Austin, TX, and William J. Headrick of Oviedo, FL.

Mr. Anderson was born in Nashville and was raised in DeKalb County and Cookeville. For 34 years he had been employed with the Alcohol Tax Unit of the U. S. Treasury Department, retiring in 1965.

He attended Tennessee Technological University and Milligan College and had taught elementary grades in Cookeville schools. He also taught math at Algood High School.

Mr. Anderson was a member of First United Methodist Church of Cookeville and was an avid sports fan. During his younger years he had played ball as well as coaching and umpiring at Tennessee Tech.

In addition to his local relatives, Mr. Anderson is survived by his wife of 62 years Lula Lee Norris Anderson; three sons, Silas E. Anderson Jr., of Baxter, James N. Anderson of Tullahoma and John S. Anderson of Cookeville; another daughter, Mary Lena (Mrs. James) Bradshaw of Tullahoma; five other grandchildren; and a brother, John O. Anderson of Silver Point, a former U. S. Marshall.

The funeral will be Wednesday, July 20, at 2 p.m. (CDT) in the chapel of Hooper and Huddleston Funeral Home with the Rev. Roy West officiating.

The family requests that any memorials be in the form of gifts to the Anderson County Unite, American Heart Association, P. O. Box 3014, Oak Ridge, TN 37831 or to the American Cancer Society of Anderson County, in care of Mrs. James H. Rowan, 129 Indian Lane, Oak Ridge, TN 37830.

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COOKEVILLE -- Funeral services for Lula Lee Anderson, 86, of Cookeville will be held Saturday, April 29, at 11 a.m. in the chapel of Hooper and Huddleston Funeral Home. Burial will be in Crest Lawn Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Anderson died Thursday, April 27, 1995, in Cookeville General Hospital.

Daughter of the late Harvey Lee and Mary Lula Harp Norris, she was born in Algood on September 22, 1908.

She was a member of Cookeville United Methodist Church, the Missionary Society, charter member of the Society of Christian Service, Ladies Air Society, Methodist Women and the Cookeville Home Demonstration Club.

Her family includes her children, Silas E. Anderson Jr. of Cookeville, Mary Lena Bradshaw of Tullahoma, Barbara A. Headrick of Oak Ridge, James Norris Anderson of Moore County and John S. Anderson of Cookeville, and seven grandchildren.

Active pallbearers will be Charles Craven, John Judd, Grover Neal Bennett, David Bowling, Robert Williams and Zollie Ferrell.

Honorary pallbearers include Robert Turney, Hoke White, Sterling McCanless, Solon Mitchell, Henry Ferrell and Max Atnip.

The family will receive friends from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. today at the funeral home.

*See more at: <http://www.ajlambert.com>



Silas Eastham "Sicy" Anderson Sr. Family

L to R: Front: Silas Eastham "Sicy" Anderson Sr. & his wife Lula Lee (Norris) Anderson.

L to R: Back: Children of Silas & Lula Anderson: Silas Eastham Anderson Jr., Mary Lena Anderson) Bradshaw, Barbara (Anderson) Headrick, James N. Anderson & John S. Anderson.

Picture courtesy of Barbara (Anderson) Headrick