



Carl E. "Tookie" Lee Jr

SHAGGERS HALL OF FAME POSTHUMOUS CARL E. "TOOKIE" LEE, JR.

Born: September 9, 1927

Died: February 5, 1986

Married: Emily Hay

Children: 4 - Anthony Lee, Thomasville, NC

Carla Lee Benton, Myrtle Beach, SC

Melissa Lee, Greensboro, NC

Eddie Lee, NCSU, Raleigh, NC

"Tookie was born and raised in Burlington, NC. He graduated from Burlington High School and attended Campbell College and Elon College. He spent his summers at White Lake, Carolina Beach and Myrtle Beach, where he learned to dance. Much of his time during the winter months was spent at the old Alamance Bowling Center in Burlington, where everybody went to dance.

After serving in the Korean War, "Tookie" returned to Burlington and married the former Emily Hay. They moved to Greensboro, NC and became the parents of four children. "Tookie" worked for P. Lorillard Company where he was Comptroller at the time of his retirement. He suffered a heart attack in 1975. After the death of his wife in 1978 "Tookie" spent much of his time at Myrtle Beach where he renewed many old acquaintances and made new friends. He could be seen almost every weekend during the summer, with his familiar pipe, dancing at Fat Jack's or Harold's Across the Street.