

Frank B. Shepherd and Annie Ham

Annie Ham, daughter of John and Susannah Ham, was born 6 May 1888 and died 27 April 1984, Bexar Co., Texas. Buried in Cedar Hill Cemetery, Abilene, Texas

Frank B. Shepherd was born in London, England 10 Nov 1885 and died 28 Aug. 1974, Tarrant Co., Texas. Buried in Cedar Hill Cemetery, Abilene, Texas

They were married 2 Mar. 1915 Memphis, Tennessee.

He attended the Nashville Bible School 1913-14 and she attended 1914-15. They are both listed as from Canada.



1911

Bro. Frank Shepherd gone to Nashville Bible School married to Anna Ham all of Nashville or near at present.

The Meaford Journals 1848-1998, p. 55.

Annie Ham At regular meeting baptized February 23, 1913 by Bro. Billingsley [Price] married to Frank Shepherd in Memphis by Bro. Billingsley March 2, 1915. *The Meaford Journals 1848-1998*, p. 55.

F. B. Shepherd received and sent money to, and reports from, various missionaries in south Africa, especially John Sheriff at Forest Vale Mission, W. N. Short and Ray

Lawyer at Sinde Mission. Reports were sent from Lometa, Amarillo and Abilene Texas to the *Word and Work*, 1918-1928

To All Students of J. A. Harding

The suggestion that Brother Harding's students and others of his devoted friends create a memorial fund to help toward the erection of the new administration building of Harper College, Harper Kansas, and that because of this gift from his students and friends the building have written in its walls, "James A. Harding Memorial Building" has met with universal and enthusiastic approval. . . .

Fraternally,

F. B. Shepherd, Amarillo, Tex.; . . . G. E. Claus, Valdosta, Ga.; . . .

Word and Work, Jan. 1923, p. 24

F. B. Shepherd was one of the editors of the *Living Message*, published in Harper Kansas, abt. 1922-1934.

1932

During the spring and summer we had the following brethren call for a short visit. Bro. Charles Petch from the west March 1932, Bro. Frank B. Sheppard June 2nd was here for prayer meeting. He left his family here for the summer months. He went on to Detroit and Chicago returning in July to spend a short holiday at Ham's on the 9th line south. We enjoyed hearing him speak once more in Meaford.

The Meaford Journals 1848-1998, p. 62



Frank Shepherd in 1966
 Worked for Norris Ellis in Meaford
 as a young man
 Married Annie Ham of Meaford
 Among first to do mission work in Hawaii
The Meaford Journals, 1848-1998, p. 125

In 1920 F. B. Shepherd, Amarillo is listed as on
 the Advisory Board of Ministers
Prickly Pear, 1920, p. 6

In 1919, 1923, 1926 and 1929 he was a part of
 the ACC annual lectureship program.
*Prickly Pear, 1919, p. 3; 1923, p. 90; 1926, p.
 88; 1929, p. 147*

Fall Meeting: "F. B. Shepherd the local
 minister, who did the preaching, upheld the
 gospel in its simplicity, devoid of any undue
 show or any touch of sensationalism. The
 majority of his sermons were directed to the
 Church."
Prickly Pear, 1924, p. 191

In 1925 Shepherd is listed as one of the brethren
 composing a "Religious Activities Committee
 overseeing the Evangelistic Forum at Abilene.
 "The immediate direction of the meetings
 themselves is in the hands of Brother Shepherd,
 and all programs are arranged and conducted
 under his personal direction."
Prickly Pear, 1925, p. 78

"Students in Abilene Christian College attend
 church twice every Sunday with the College
 congregation. The services are conducted by F.
 B. Shepherd, who has been here for the past
 three years, and is doing a wonderful work
 among the students."
Prickly Pear, 1926, p. 92

In 1927 there was a drive for a new
 administration building at Abilene. "Elaborate
 campaigns were arranged under the direction of
 Fiscal Agent F. B. Shepherd.
Prickly Pear, 1927, p. 50

Frank B. Shepherd

Funeral services were conducted
 Aug. 30 in Abilene, Texas for Frank B.
 Shepherd, 88, long-time gospel preacher and
 writer. He passed away Aug. 28 in a Fort
 Worth hospital.

Brother Shepherd was born in
 London, England, in 1885. He moved to
 Canada in 1905 and lived there until 12 at
 which time he moved to Tennessee. The
 following year he moved to Texas. In 1923
 he was the preacher for the College Church
 of Christ on the campus of Abilene Christian
 College. When the school moved to the new
 campus in 1929, Brother Shepherd was one
 of the charter members and the first preacher
 for the Highland congregation.

Brother Shepherd later preached for the church in Sweetwater and for other congregations in Texas. During his active ministry he had preached in every state in the union except Alaska.

Survivors include his wife, Annie; three sons, Paul of Houston, Maurice of Burleson, Neal of Lynchburg, Va.; one daughter, Mrs. J. Marshall Butz of San Antonio; a sister, Mrs. Alan Pendred of London, England; ten grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Dr. Walter Adams and Dr. John P. Gibson. Burial was in Cedar Hill in Abilene.

Firm Foundation, October 15, 1974, p. 13



F. B. SHEPHERD
"Into All the World"