—Exotic Evening

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look in luxurious chiffon was a big hit. Many fashions were accessorized with fabulous fur pieces.

Disco wear in Chinese silk prints and styling — many with sheer pants, Pakistanian silks in purple and gold were striking.

Blouses that tied front or back in greens and wines, purple and rasbery, silver and black, silver lame and many, many other lavish looks were shown.

It was, without a doubt, a showing of some of the most gorgeious fashions in the most lavish of fabrics I have ever seen.

Sandwiched in between the segments of fashion, there was a stirring and funny drama entitled by Artartus "A Lesson On Evil" which depicted the pitfalls of alcoholism.

There was also a powerfully moving solo by Leester Bey, whose fantastic voice brought many in the audience to their feet.

Other foot-tapping music for listening as well as for the show itself, was provided by the talented Jam Brothers Sound Disco Group.

And prior to the finale, which brought all participants on the runway, the two ladies responsible for the whole show — Fabayo, designer of fashions for the Nefertiti Queens Shop, 4650 York Rd. and her partner, Jackie Williams, floated on stage amid a simulated mist, Fabayo clad in elegant white, Jackie in stunning gold.

It was an evening to remember — definitely an evening of unmitigated pleasure.

Many guests were clad in colorful African or oriental-influenced garb.

Among the guests were Mrs. Loula Hassan and her three sons from the Yoruba Tribe in Nigeria. Son Lukmon -Hasson wore a peach lace outfit; Ola Hasson and his wife Lydia had on white lace. Their unique headpieces are called Gele, and according to Mrs. Hasson, their outfits were the kind generally worn in tribal ceremonies.

Angie Collins was frocked in a flowing pink silk gown embroidered in gold sequins — a style from Ethiopia. Ms. Collins is a poetess.

Tonya McCrearry had donned a beige-rust bold striped outfit with shoulder pockets and matching accessories.

Iris Fuller was decked out in a dotted Swiss black and white top with matching black skirt.

Attending also were Michelle Fuller, Sharon Johnson and daughter Leslie Johnson, who wore a dashing white sailor outfit.

Other guests included Paula McCoy, Warren Thompson, Mary Chandler, Shelley Sutton, Roberta Ross and Freda Woodard, a local designer.

Modeling were Brenda Elliott, Andrea Bland, (of Flair Studio); Myra Monroe, Michelle Owens, Angie Meadows, Marcella Bey, Paulette Carter, Debbie Owens, Linda Owens, Karen Smith, Marsha Brown, Dolly Bey, Oumy Samb and Pamela Carter.

Photo by Hubert Dorsey

EXOTIC EVENING HOSTESSES — Pictured above are Jackie Williams (left) and designer Fabayo (co-owners of the Nefertiti Queens Dress Shop, 4650 York Rd.) who sponsored The Royal Fashion Dynasty of the Nefertitian Queens and Princesses 'Exotic Evening of Pleasure' held at Martin's Eudowood, Sunday, August 9.

Addie Cardella Sawyer Engaged

Addie Sawyer to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Sawyer, N. Wolfe St., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Addie Cardella Sawyer to Howard J. Ruffin, of Belmont Ave., son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ruffin.

The bride-elect graduated from Dunbar Senior High School, Morgan University and holds a Master's Degree from Johns Hopkins University. She is a teacher at Lake Clifton High School.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Edmondson Senior High School, Morgan University, and also holds a Master's degree from Johns Hopkins University. He is employed as a chemist.

Miss Sawyer is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alexander English and Mr. and Mrs. George Sawyer.

Ruffin is the grandson of the late William and Sarah Parker and the late Patterson and Nacy Ruffin.

An August 23rd wedding is planned.

Leda Anne Fuller, Kevin Eli Favor marry

On Saturday, August 1, Leda Anne Fuller, 250n block Arunah Ave., daughter of Mrs. Anne Fuller and the late Edward Fuller, was married to Kevin Eli Favor, 1400n block N. Linwood Ave., son of Dr. and Mrs. Homer E. Favor, (Henrietta).

The bride holds a B.A. degree in Psychology and Economics from Goucher College; an M.A. degree in Labor and Industrial Relations from the University of Illinois, is a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority and St. John AME Church.

She was named "Outstanding Young Woman of America" in 1980 and is employed as an Employment and Training Supervisor for the General Cable Corp. in Monticello, Ill.

The groom holds a B.A. degree from Towson State University, an M.A. Degree from Washington University, St. Louis, Mo; and is porsoing a Doctorate degree at the University of Illinois, majoring in Clincal Neuro Psychology. He is a member of Phi Delta Kappa fraternity.

The double-ring, candle-lit ceremony took place at St. John AME church, with three officiating clergymen. They inlcuded Revs. Benjamin Foust, Vernon Dibson and Bishop Harrison Bryant.

Decorations at the church included four archways, 6 candelabras, white roses and carnations, pew ribbons and white canvas.

The bride, given in marriage by Dr. Leroy Durham, (her godfather), wore a long gown sata poie covered with re-embroidered alencon lace, which featured a pictueaque tapered collar with natural fitted lace waistline and flowing skirt to cathedral train

They wore wide-brimmed hats adormed with dried flowers and silk roses and lace golves and slipPers matching their gowns. They carried lace fans adorned with silk flowers.

Flower girls were Shanai Castain and Robyn Dupree of Baltimore, They wore white satin gowns around their waists, white ballet slippers, with ribbons matching the wedding colors in their hair and carried flower baskets of roses, carnations and pom-poms.

Best man was Wayne Wilson, Baltimore. Ushers were Denny Wilson, Philadelphia; Hugh Macy Favor, Columbus, Ohio; Clayton Graham, Atlantic City, New Jersey; Al For, Philadelphia; Rodney Ellis, Upper Darby, Pa.; and Dennis Tgomas, Philadelphia.

Ring bearer was Robert Dennis Smith Jr. Musical programs Organist was Jacqueline Hardy.

Soloists were Linda Bethea, Sharon Foust, and Barbara Hamm.

Candle lighters were Chanay Smith and Eugene Cook.

Following the nuptials, two receptions were held for the couple.

One was held in the lower sanctuary of the church immediately following the wedding and theother at Martin's Northpoint Gardens.

The affair featured an open bar, smorgasboard of mini crab cakes, egg rolls, Swedish meatballs, chicken nuggets, stuffed mushrooms, shish kebob, chef's carving of eye round and corned beef, a fruit display with ice carving, and a staircase wedding cake trimmed in rainbow colors and a champagne fountain.

Music was provided by Flight 300. 1500 guests attended.

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NEWLYWEDS Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Eli Favor smile radiantly following their August 1 wedding at St. John AME Church. The bride is the former Miss Leda Anne Fuller. The bridegroom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Homer E. Favor (Henrietta).

Flowers were by Crip's Florists, the bridal limousine furnished by Brown-Thompson Funeral Home.

Gowns were by Bradd's of Pikesville and Judy's. The wedding, which was video-taped by Aubrey Bailey of Richmond Va., was directed by Ella G. White, of Pikesville.

Prenuptial parties included a swimming party held at Mrs. White's home on July 30 and a party at Shane's on July 31.

The bride chose as her travelingoutfit for the couple's two-week honeymoon trip to the Poconos' Honeymoon Cove, a three-peice beige suit made of Kikkenny cloth, with arenzareo braid, a coffee silk blouse, matching leather coffee shoes and bag.

(They were attired in apricot, sky blue, orchid, yellow, pink, and sea spray gowns with spaghetti straps, crisscross gathered bras and asymetrical drapes of silesta over long skirts with self-fabric roses on bias and soft chiffon capes.

The bride's mother is an assistant principal in the Baltimore City Public Schools: the groom's father is a professor at Morgan State UNiversity. Out of town guests included:

Mrs. Mattie Carter, Charles Carter and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Fuller III, New York; Mr. and Mrs. James Nelson, Reading, Pa.; Clayton Graham, Atlantic City N.J.; Mrs. Myrtle Wood, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hotinian, Norfolk, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper, Gaithersburg, Md.; Mrs. Hazel White Norwood, Pittsburgh, Pa.;

Also Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hutchenson, Silver Hill, Md.; Mrs. Deloras Lyles, Spokane, Washington; Zeb Strong, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Helen Coleman, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. Edie Knox, Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Wood, Ms. Michelle Wood, Charles Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Strong, Charles W. Strong Jr., Charles W. Strong Sr., Mrs. Lucile Sparks, all of Pittsburgh, Pa.;

Also Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Greenlee, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Blair A. Simon, Bryn Mawr, Pa.; Mrs. Clara Harrgrove, Somerville, N.J.; Dr. and Mrs. William Gardner, Haverford, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Favor, Pitts-Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Favor Sr., Buffalo, N.Y.; Dr. HayWood Favor, Nashville, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth B. Wood, Canton, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hill, Philadelphia, Pa.; Dr. and Mrs. Willie T. Howard, Lanham, Md.; Dr. and Mrs. H. Jerome Zoller, Pittsburgh, Pa.;

Also Dr. and Mrs. Jesse Gaster, Houston, Texas; Mrs. Marguerite Lee, Los Angeles, Cal.; Dr. and Mrs. A.M. Wilbrunt, Simsbury, Conn.; Dr. and Mrs. John T. Walker, Vienna, Va.; Marvin Cotrell, Waukegan, Ill.; Mrs. Leola Strong, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Lee Harris, Trenton, N.J.; AbDullah Anwar, Philadelphia, Pa.; Dr. and Mrs. Robert Williams, St. Louis and Dr. and Mrs. Wendell Rivers, St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. George Hasan, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Jefferson, Decatur, Ga.; C. Dunne Hannah, Philadelphia, Pa.;

Also David Hurst, Rochester, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Coles, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rogerson, Norfolk, Va.; Bevyn C. Hodge, Wilmington, Del.; Julian Smith, New York; Mr. and Mrs. William Womack, Cherry Hill, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Johes Coates, Newark, N.J.; Aubrey Alston, Hampton, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Julian Wood, Philadelphia, Pa.; Tony Drexor, Wilmington, Del.; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crosby, Washington, D.C.; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Favor, Pittsburgh, Pa. and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Fuller, New York.

The new Mr. and Mrs. Favor will be at home in Champagne, Ill following the honeymoon.

with applique of seed pearls and wheat pearls.

Her headress was a chapel veil covered with appliques of seed pearls and wheat pearls over reembroidered alencon lace.

Her bouquet was a beautufol cascade of call lilies, orchids and stePhanotis, interspersed with greenery.

Maid of honor was Romaine T. Williams, Baltimore. Bridesmaids were Vivian Cox, Washington D.C.; Adrienne Hill, Janice Young, Robin Kane and Diane Hughes, all of Baltimore.

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son and daughter LaMont and Donna Bowe, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Victor, Sherry, Gary Cole and Mother Marian Cole, cousins; Roberta Cole, aunt.

Also Rhonda F., James Jr., Jermaine, Jeremiah and Jenatine Harris, cousins; Mrs. Hilda Johnson, aunt, Baltimore; Mrs. Louise Gail (grandmother), Baltimore.

Also Willie Booker, Mrs. Barbara Booker and Kevin Booker, cousins, Baltimore; Mereida Goodman, Sue Williams, Pam Widgeon, Lillian Grant Owings, Grant and Beatrice Owings, Alishia and Anitra Owings, Mary D. Foster;

Also Carole Bagley, Hempstead, Long Island, N.Y.; Dennis M. Foster Jr., Jacksonville, Fla.; Delores M. Foster, Jane S. Williams, Ruby Handy, Brian Williams and Robert Lockley.

Gwynn Family Reunion

The Gwynn family of Baltimore City and surrounding counties, held their fith annual reunion Saturday, July 25 at the home of William and Arlene Gwynn Barrett, 5600 block of North Green Rd., Baltimore County.

The occasion was hosted by the Barretts and Charles E. Gwynn Jr.

Martha Gwynn Thompson, oldest member of the clan, (presently residing in in Honoluiu, Hawaii,) extended her greetings in the form of a beautiful bouquet of anthurium flowers which arrived from the fiftieth state.

The honoree of the 1981 reunion was Charles E. Gwynn Sr., formerly the director of the Baltimore City Park Band, a post he held for many years and a postal retiree.

Special highlight of the reunion was a family album of photos and news articles of family gatherings and achievements over the past years, compiled and attractively displayed by Rose Gwynn Wallace Byrd.

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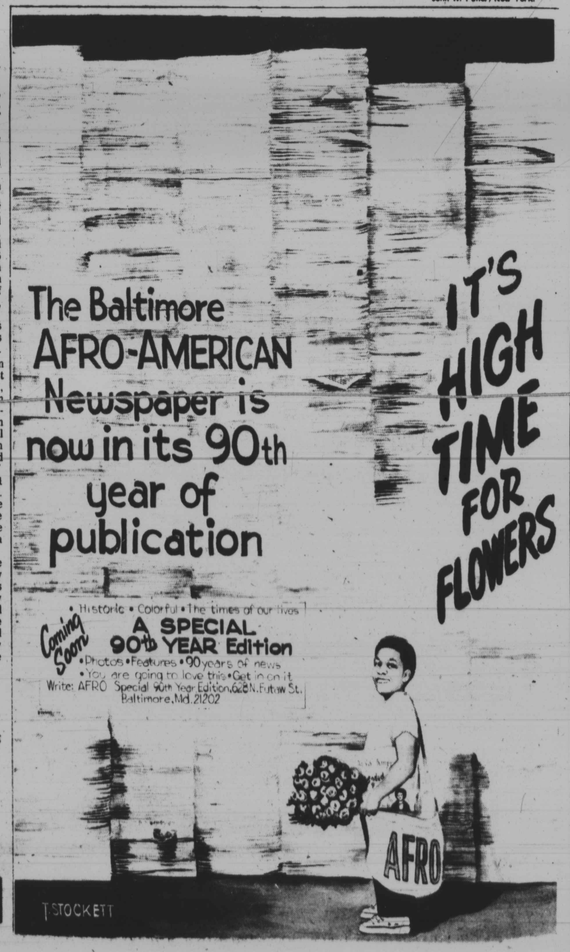

THE LIVING CHURCH

Thousands worship at open air revival

By Pam Widgeon
AFRO Religious Editor

Chartered bus loads from Washington, Philadelphia, and Delaware, have been attending the outdoor gospel tent revival services sponsored by Christian Temple Faith Church since August 1.

More than 3,000 people from all walks of life have been seen sitting under the hugh red and white tent on the corner of Reisterstown Road and Garrison Avenue.

ChriLast week, the Rev. Michael Patterson from Guyana South America was the speaker for the noon and 7:30 p.m. services.

The Rev. Izell Crump, pastor of the church stated that Evangelist Eddie Southerland will be the daily speaker until Aug. 31.

Hundreds of worshippers gathered before the rostum for Hundreds of worshippers gathered before the rostum Sunday night for prayer, following Evangelist Southerland's message on "The Safety Zone."

Evangelist Southerland told the crowd of people attending the service, "Can you say praise the Lord? Thank God tonight in what ever way you want to."

The crowd then stood with cheers and applause while some shouted, "Praise the Lord and Jesus I loveyou." When the choirs from various churches started singing, it brought the people to their feet. They clapped their hands and were seen beating their tambourines and shouting in the aisles.

Some of Evangelist Southerland's followers came from Nigeria and the Bahamas, while others took their vacation to hear the evangelist.

Rev. Crump, 47-year-old pastor and founder of the church that has less than 200 members told the AFRO, "This is the largest tent revival this city has had since the early sixties. As the word spreads, the crowd gorws every night."

According to Rev. Crump, the revival service has cost the church $50,000 and he says, "We are now only $3,000 in debt. The $50,000 includes the cost of 11 billboards that can be seen around the city, the daily radio broadcast, the tent that is 60 feet wide and 90 inches long, chairs, hotel accommodations and other items that were purchased for the revival.

"Members of Christian Temple believe in tithing," said Rev. Crump. "The members give one tenth of their income. We started saving last year for the city wide revival service. We divide our financial loads among our members.

"We did not have the revival to make money. We believe in saving people, helping to heal the sick and bringing broken homes together again," Rev. Crump told the AFRO.

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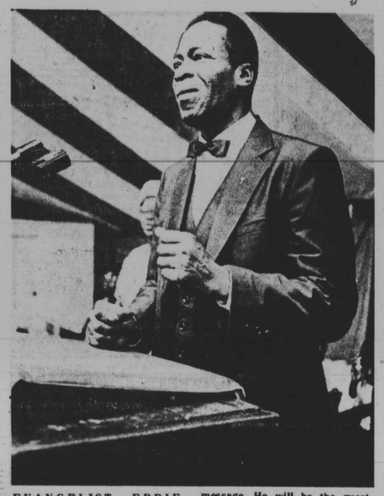

EVANGELIST EDDIE SOUTHERLAND is noted for his biblical scholarship and unique presentation of the gospel message. He will be the guest speaker at the gospel tent revival services 7:30 p.m. daily until August 31.

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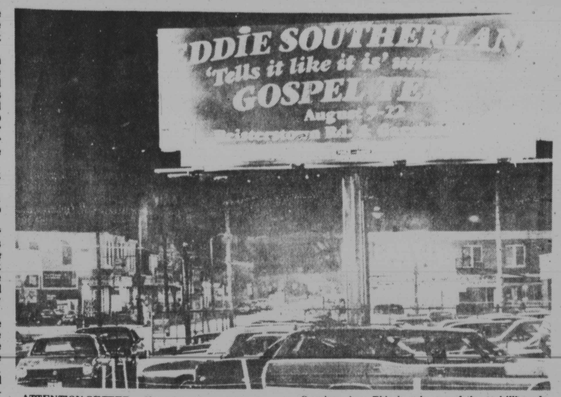

ATTENTION GETTER — If you have been riding the bus going north on Reisterstown Road, or driving your car, you can't help from seeing the huge colorful billboard at the corner of Reisterstown Road and Garrison Ave. This is only one of the 11 billboards that can be seen in the city that says, "Eddie Southerland Tells it like it is under the gospel tent Aug. 9-22.

SOULS were saved this week at the gospel tent revival services at Reisterstown Road and Garrison Avenue, where Christian Temple Faith Church is sponsoring a month-long revival service. The Rev. Izell Crump, pastor of the church, is shown giving the opening prayer.

SHOUTS OF "AMEN" could be heard Sunday night at the gospel tent revival services, when Evangelist Eddie Southerland spoke on "The Safety Zone."

Several of those attending the service felt the spirit during his lengthy sermon.

THE MASS CHOIR of Christian Temple Faith Church had people shouting in the aisles Monday night while they were singing and a younger member of the group was beating the bongos.

GUEST CHOIR — Every night during the month long revival services, choirs from various churches have been singing. Members of the Mount Carmel Mass Choir were among the guest choirs singing this week.

MINISTER'S WIFE — Mrs. Elaine Crump, an active member of Christian Temple Faith Church and wife of the Rev. I. Crump, is the organist for the month-long revival services.