

Millie Edwards Arrington 1989

"MILLIE" EDWARDS ARRINGTON

Thank you for the honor of being chosen into the "Shaggers Hall of Fame".

Little did I know, when I was dancing out all my shoes, it would come to this.

Winston Salem, N.C. is my home, but my heart was always at the beach. The sand filled my shoes at Carolina Beach, when one of the best, Nelson Burton, shuffled me to the dance floor. After that, it was Doug Batson, Vickie Sheridan, "Clarice", we loved to watch.

From there the sand took me to Myrtle Beach and to the Pavilion and "Spivey's" where we were "Day Time" as well as "Night Time" "Jitterbuggers" and with the best, Harry Driver, Eddie Monsour, "Boney" Moore, Betty Kirkpatrick, Jean Allen, Betty Lou Hockaday and my best friend to this day, "Shorty Crook".

Sonnys Pavilion, Cherry Grove, The "Pad", Ocean Drive, were later our favorite hangouts, with the folks from Columbia, S.C., Burt & B.R. Bennett, Buddy Kennedy and many more.

I thank my "Lucky Star" that now after a long business career, the sand in my shoes has brought me back to the beach, as I am happily married to Tommy Arrington, and we are now retired and living in Little River, North Myrtle Beach, S.C.

Thanks to all once again.