

Mrs. Turner Retires at Bonny Oaks



A GENERATION OF BONNY OAKS SCHOOL boys and girls have known the love and care of Mrs. George Turner, who retired Friday night after 22 years' service. Helping present her orchid were, left to right, Malcolm Adamson, school director; Judy Anderson, Mrs. Turner, Christen Haven, Daisy Hawk and Delma Hawk.—(Staff photo by John Goforth)

Twenty-two years ago, when her own children weren't children anymore, Mrs. George Turner found herself with no children to care for — yet, she still cared for children.

Mrs. Turner turned her superabundance of mother-love to serve the children of Bonny Oaks School. For more than two decades she served the school and the children in any capacity

where there was a need. Her service has ranged from cooking and washing to counseling and "soothing broken hearts."

Malcolm Adamson, director of the school, said at her retirement Friday night, "She says God has been mighty good to her. Every girl and boy who has been a resident of Bonny Oaks School Echos in refrain that God has been mighty good to them for

having sent Mrs. Turner their way."

Mrs. Turner has served as housemother at Patten Hall for Girls for 15 years. She is a member of Chamberlain Avenue Baptist Church. She will make her retirement home in Hixson "near enough to Bonny Oaks where I can get back in a hurry if I get homesick."

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