

BISHOP BARRON
Court of Criminal Appeals - 1982-1983

BORN: June 16, 1924; Evergreen, Alabama
Died: March 9, 1983; Montgomery, Alabama

Circa 1982

Bishop Barron, a native of Evergreen, attended the Evergreen public schools and the University of Alabama, where he earned his B.S. degree in business administration. During World War II, he served in the United States Army in North Africa and Italy.

From 1948 to 1953 he served as a special agent with the Internal Revenue Service, becoming a certified public accountant in 1951.

Barron received his law degree from Jones Law School in 1955 and was admitted to the bar the following year. He practiced law in Montgomery from 1956 to 1982 and served as a municipal court judge from 1962 to 1969. He represented Montgomery County in the Alabama House of Representatives and then in the Senate in the 1970s. On March 12, 1982, Governor Fob James appointed him to fill a vacancy on the Court of Criminal Appeals, where he served until his death the following year.

Bishop Barron married the former Evelyn Eddins of Evergreen. He has one daughter.

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