

CATHY ROACH (MRS. JACK E.) OLLIS
Cooperative Services International Representative

- Born: Feb. 18, 1948, in Ware Shoals, S.C.
- Education: Received the bachelor of science degree from Appalachian State University, Boone, N.C., and the master of arts degree from University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Attended Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest, N.C.
- Married: Jack Ollis, born in Banner Elk, N.C.
- Children: Jennifer Ellen was born in 1972; James Edwin, 1976; and Mary Nan, 1978.
- Pre-missionary experience: High school teacher in Providence, N.C. Christian Service Corps worker with her husband in Massachusetts and Tennessee for the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board. Worked with Christian High Adventure, a ministry of the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board, Sunday School Board and Brotherhood Commission.
- Previous assignment: Appointed missionary to India in December 1980. Secondary teacher in Kodaikanal, India. Also served as a member of the mission executive committee and a member of the Board of Auxiliary Ministries. Transferred to Thailand, Aug. 26, 1986. Dorm parent in Bangkok, Thailand. Transferred to Cooperative Services International, Aug. 9, 1989.
- Current assignment: Cooperative Services International representative since 1989. CSI is the Southern Baptist agency that assists nations where missionaries do not work.
- Hobbies/special skills used in work and witness: Organizes retreats for youth and adults; retreat speaker and teacher; and English and Bible teaching.