



Willie T Williams

MAY 6, 1944 - SEP 20, 2021



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He was preceded in death by his mother, father, and sisters: Betty Faulton, Annie Nell Keys, Diane Williams, Deanne Williams, Marie Williams, Ella Mae Hill and Cathy Williams, brothers; Andrew Williams, Jesse Williams, James Wesley Williams, Louis David Williams, John Rayford, and Baby Joe Louis Williams.

Bill graduated from Parkside and went on to serve in the Army as a Teletype Communicator for the next two years, before beginning his career in construction for the next 30 years. Bill truly enjoyed going fishing, watching sports events on tv, gossip, and playing "his numbers". Bill wants to be remembered as a loving husband, father, family man and friend.

He leaves to cherish his memories his loving wife; Anna Brooks-Williams, surviving sister; Annie Mcguire, stepsisters; Levetty Branch, Lulu Ellison, Lovey Menzies, and Shelley Grissom, stepbrother; Andy Brown, seven children; Willie (Constance) Hill, Pattie Williams, Rosalind Williams, Anthony Williams, Lorraine Hall, Richard (Debbie) Williams, and Phyllis M Williams, Jr., stepchildren; Leonard Brooks, Sr. and Cheryl (Jonathan) Graham, 30 grandchildren and 64 great grandchildren; in addition to a host of nieces and nephews.



Events

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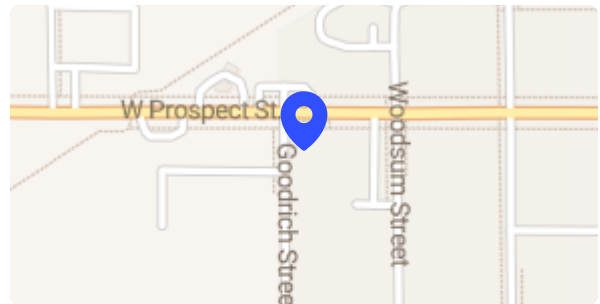
Visitation

Thursday, September 30, 2021

2:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

The House of Johnson Funeral Home- Jackson Chapel

235 West Prospect Street, Jackson MI 49203



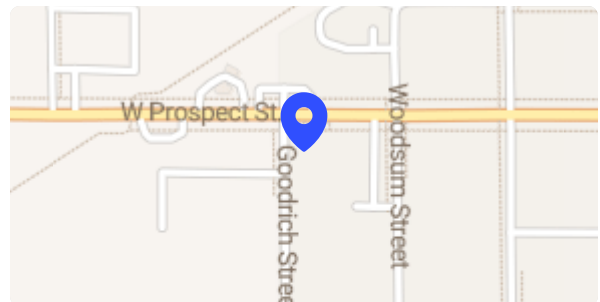
Family Hour

Friday, October 1, 2021

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET

The House of Johnson Funeral Home- Jackson Chapel

235 West Prospect Street, Jackson MI 49203



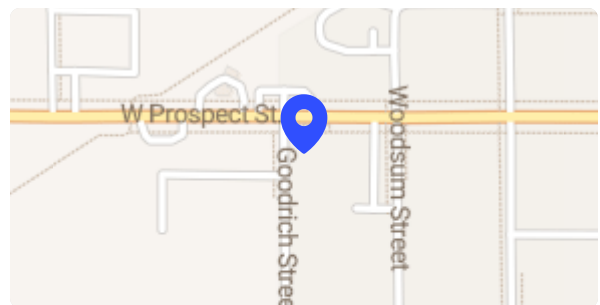
Funeral Service

Friday, October 1, 2021

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM ET

The House of Johnson Funeral Home- Jackson Chapel

235 West Prospect Street, Jackson MI 49203



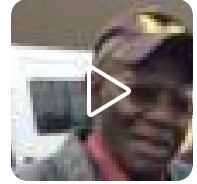


Tribute Wall

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The House Of Johnson Funeral Home shared a **Webcast Video**.



September 29 at 4:59 AM



The House Of Johnson Funeral Home shared an album called **Obituary**.



November 2 at 10:47 AM



Ernestine Goodall lit a candle in honor of Willie.

My friend Anna I'm sorry for your loss of your husband and Willie and Pat and Roslyn and little Phyllis I'm also sorry for the loss of your dad RIP



October 5 at 2:21 AM



Phyllis Williams posted:

Dad, This is bitter sweet to write, I'm sad that you are no longer here and angry yet relieved that you are no longer in pain. Please watch over Anthony, Richard and Antoine. Love, Cookie

September 30 at 8:51 PM



Anonymous sent an Arrive in Style to the Williams family.



September 30 at 10:47 AM



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FB

Farina Brooks lit a candle in honor of Willie.

I've been knowing Bill and his family for years. My family lived next door to his sister and so I grew knowing all his family. Bill was a great person and Aunt Faye know that I'm here for you. Weeping endures for a night but joy comes in the morning. Rest in the arms of our loving father. Grieve the way that's best for you because none of us grieve the same. I know how much you loved Bill and how much he meant to you. I luv u



September 26 at 5:25 AM



Anonymous sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Williams family.



September 26 at 5:16 AM

BI

Barbra Ivy posted:

My sister said he was very quiet. I stayed with them a few days and he talked my ear off! That was the best visit I ever had. I am glad I got to know him.

September 24 at 6:54 PM

MS

Marlos Shields posted:

Aunt sorry for your lost I'm keeping you in prayer

September 24 at 5:29 PM

DW

Debbie Williams lit a candle in honor of Willie.

Pops your an amazing man and always will be. I will never forgot you no matter what. I miss n love ya



September 23 at 9:38 AM



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Rhonda Scott posted:

From waaaay back, I went to school with some of his kids. More recently, I appreciated him giving and sharing when asked. He was an uncle. Aunt FAYE and other relatives, I am praying for your strength. Go through YOUR process. Just don't stay down too long.

September 22 at 5:29 PM



Melvin Hartman lit a candle in honor of Willie.



September 22 at 9:16 AM



Media

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September 29 at 4:59 AM

WEBCAST

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The House Of Johnson Funeral Home shared 2 photos to the **Obituary** album.

November 2 at 10:47 AM

PALLBEARERS
David Eley Willie Eby
Anthony Williams Andrew Williams
Richard Williams Reginald White

HONORARY PALLBEARERS
Leonard Brooks, Sr. Jerry Brown
Andrew Clayton Willie Eby

FLOWER BEARERS
Parents of the Family

INTERMENT
Ever Green National Cemetery

ACKNOWLEDGMENT
We would like to express our love, appreciation for your sympathy in our time of grief. Thank you for your love and support. Your thoughts and prayers were felt by us all. Thank you.
-The Family of Willie Thomas Williams-

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Source: May 6, 1944 Source: September 20, 2021

Celebrating The Life of

Willie Thomas Williams

Friday, September 10, 2021
Family Hour: 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
The House of Johnson Funeral Home
235 West Prospect Street
Jackson, Michigan 49203
Rev. Melvin Hartman, Officiating

Obituary

Willie (Bill) Thomas Williams, Sr. was born on May 6, 1944, in Jones, Arkansas to Mozella Harris and James Oliver Williams. He departed this earth on September 20, 2021.

He was preceded in death by his mother, father, and sister, Betty Fuchon, Annie Nell Keys, Duane Williams, Duane Williams, Marie Williams, Ella Mae Hill and Coby Williams, step-sister, Levetty Branch, Lela Ellison, Levey Menzie, and Shirley Orlam, brothers: Andrew Williams, Jesse Williams, James Wesley Williams, Louis David Williams, John Rayford, Baby Joe Louis Williams, and stepbrother, Andy Brown.

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He leaves to cherish his memories to his loving wife, Anna Brooks-Williams, surviving sister, Anna McGuire, seven children: Willie C. Williams, Willie C. Williams, Ronnie Williams, Ronald Williams, Anthony Williams, Lorraine Hall, Richard (Dabbie) Williams, and Phyllis M. Williams, Jr., stepchildren: Leonard Brooks, Sr. and Cheryl (Donna) Orlam, 38 grandchildren and 64 great grandchildren; in addition to a host of nieces and nephews.

My Dear Husband,

I struggle to find the right words to describe the pain of losing you. The days and nights are so lonely without you. I am lost and all I can really say is that my life will never be the same. I love you and I miss you dearly. Until we meet again. Rest in Peace.

Love always, Anna

Order of Service

Musical Prelude _____ Organist

Processional and Viewing _____ Clergy, Family & Friends

Prayer _____ Lee Hesse

Scripture "Old Testament and New Testament" _____ Tracy Hesse

Selection _____ At

Acknowledgments, Cards, Telegrams _____ Family

Remarks and Obituary _____ Family and Friends

Selection "Two Minutes Please" _____ Dancing in the Sky

Eulogy _____ Rev. Melvin Hartman

Recessional _____ Clergy, Family and Friends

Musical Postlude _____ Andrew Griffin

Drivers in the funeral procession please turn on your headlights for safety and stay one car length behind the car in front of you. Please do not allow large gaps between cars.



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Willie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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