



Acknowledgements

The family of
Brenda Lillian Williams
would like to extend a special message of
thanks and appreciation for your many acts of
love and kindness as we celebrate her Life and
Homegoing. Thank you for your prayers.
Thank you for being a blessing to our family
during this difficult time.

Memorials

In lieu of flowers please gift to the Samaritan
House, Orangeburg Free Clinic and the Food
Pantry at Holy Trinity Catholic Church

Special Thanks

The Medical Services Association, the
Medical University of South Carolina
(MUSC), A Village Home Care, Holy Trinity
Catholic Church, and all Friends and Family
for love, care and support

~ Arrangements Entrusted To ~

Glover's Funeral Home

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Celebration of Life



Brenda L. Williams

Service

Friday, February 12, 2021

11:00 am

Holy Trinity Catholic Church

2202 Riverbank Drive

Orangeburg, South Carolina 29118

Presiding Priest:

Father Prasad Antony

Father Michael Okere



Order of Service of Funeral Service			
Music Prelude		Angela Clark	
Introductory Rites (All Stand)			
At the entrance of the Church, the urn is sprinkled with holy water and draped with the pall as a reminder of our baptism. The funeral procession then moves into the church.			
Entrance/Procession Hymn:		"Here I Am Lord"	#257
Opening Prayer:			
Liturgy of the Word			
First Scripture Reading:		Wisdom 3: 1-9	Matthew Guah
Lector:	The Word of the Lord		
All:	Thanks be to God		
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 103 The Lord is Kind and Meaningful Jerry Whitman			
Before the Gospel Reading an acclamation is sung (Please Stand)			
Gospel Acclamation (Alleulia, Alleulia)			
The response to the introduction to the Gospel is :			
Priest: The Lord be with you.			
All: And with your spirit			
Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to N.....			
All: Glory to you, Lord			
Gospel Reading			
The response following the Gospel is: Praise to you, Lord, Jesus Christ.			
Homily: (Preaching)			
Prayers of the Faithful (All Stand)			
After each petition, all respond: Lord Hear Our Prayer			
Communion Hymn:		Prayer of St. Francis	#296
Communion Meditation:		Ave Maria Solo	Angela Clark
Final Commendation		Please Stand (Incensing of the casket/urn)	
Recessional		How Great Thou Art	#225
Precession to the Cemetery			
Belleville Memorial Gardens			
2900 Belleville Memorial Gardens			
Orangeburg, South Carolina			

-The Obituary-
“For I am now ready to be offered, and the time of my departure is at hand. I have fought a good fight; I have finished my course. I have kept the faith... ” Timothy 4:6-7”

Brenda Lillian Williams a loving daughter, loving sister and faithful Christian was called to her heavenly home on February 7, 2021. Brenda was the thirdborn of three children to the late Cecil Leroy Williams and Ethel Lee Williams.

Brenda was a member of Orangeburg’s Holy Trinity Catholic Church, where she served as a lector.

Brenda began her early Christian training at Christ the King Catholic School in Orangeburg, South Carolina. She received her early educational training from Wilkinson High School. Upon graduating, Brenda enrolled at South Carolina State College (currently South Carolina State University) and graduated in 1974 having earned a Bachelor Degree in Biology and Chemistry. She received her master’s degree in Hospital Administration from the Medical College of Virginia, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, Virginia in 1976. She was a Fellow of the American College of Healthcare Executives (FACHE) and a graduate of the Diversity Leadership Institute.

Brenda served as an administrative resident at the Washington Hospital in Washington, Pennsylvania, and as assistant director of the Palmetto Lowcountry Health Systems Agency in Summerville, where she was responsible for project review.

Brenda joined its staff in 1979, and served in various positions at RMC. At RMC, she was responsible for engineering, marketing, grant writing, switchboard, volunteers, telecommunications, laboratory, Joint commission review, planning, risk management, insurance, environment of care, environmental services, cardiology, and cardiac and pulmonary rehabilitation, Healthy Living Center, Vein Clinic, Vascular Center, Breast Health Center, Dialysis Access Institute, and Mabry Center for Cancer Care.

Brenda was also the vice president of strategy and compliance at the Regional Medical Center of Orangeburg and Calhoun counties. She retired on August 1, 2017, from a distinguished career in hospital administration at that institution spanning thirty-seven years.

Brenda believed strongly in personal involvement with her community, and served in several capacities. These include service as a member of the Orangeburg-Calhoun-Allendale-Bamberg Community Action Agency Board (chair), Orangeburg and Calhoun Free Medical Clinic Board of Directors, and Regional Economic and Educational Community Development Corporation (vice president). Further, she was a founding member of the Orangeburg Family YMCA and a commissioner at Denmark Technical College. Formerly, she served as president of the local United Way, as vice president for community betterment of the Orangeburg County Chamber of Commerce, and as a school board trustee and member of the Orangeburg School District Five Foundation Board.

In recognition of her dedicated service, Brenda received the Orangeburg Morning Rotary Club’s 2016 Rotarian of the Year award and the Palmetto Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Association’s 2015 Spencer D. Disher award. She was a member of the Rotary Club of Orangeburg, NAACP, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated, and life member of South Carolina State University National Alumni Association where she was featured as a 2020 Stellar Alumni member.

The South Carolina Senate, congratulated Brenda, upon the occasion of her retirement, and commended her for many years of dedicated service, and wished much happiness and fulfillment.

Brenda was proceeded in death by her parents and one brother, Alfred Leroy Williams.

Those left to cherish fond memories of Brenda Lillian Williams are her most cherished, loving and supportive brother Cecil James Williams and sister-in-law Barbara of Orangeburg, SC; Maudelle Salley Bing of Orangeburg, SC, a cousin who grew up as a sister; a special cousin Deloris Evering of Orangeburg, SC and a host of loving cousins and friends.