

His Journey Has Just Begun

*Don't think of him as gone away -
his journey's just begun,
Life holds so many facets -
this earth is only one.*

*Just think of him as resting
from the sorrows and the tears
in a place of warmth and comfort
where there are no days and years.*

*Think how he must be wishing
that we could know today,
how nothing but our sadness
can really pass away.*

*And think of him as living
in the hearts of those he touched
For nothing loved is ever lost -
And he was loved so much.*

Honorary Flower Beauties
Class of '79

Active Flower Beauties
Tenneco Automotive

Honorary Casket Guards
Class of '79

Vincent Martin
Michael Tatum

Active Casket Guards
Tenneco Automotive

Ushers
St. John C.M.E.

Interment
St. John C.M.E.

Acknowledgement
*The family would like to thank everyone for their
love and support during this difficult time. May God
continue to smile upon each of you.*

- The Family

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Celebrating the Life of Willie Jaudon Rucker



Sunrise
August 11, 1961

Sunset
January 7, 2018

Saturday, January 13, 2018
12:00 PM

ST. JOHN C.M.E. CHURCH
Hartwell, GA

Rev. Cassandra Ellington

Obituary

Willie Jaudon Rucker was born August 11, 1961, to the late E. Jacqueline and Artis Rucker. Willie was called to his final rest on January 7, 2018.

Willie was a graduate of Hart County High School, class of 1979. He then graduated from Athens Technical College. Willie was a truly devoted employee of Tenneco Automotive for 33 years.

Willie joined St. John C.M.E. Church at an early age. He also had a love for fishing. Willie was a loving, caring, and giving individual, who would give a complete stranger the shirt off his back, the shoes off his feet, and even the food off his plate. Willie loved everyone he came in contact with, and was truly a blessing to his family. His dedication and love for his family could match no other. Willie’s caring smile would brighten anyone’s day and melt their heart away. His personality was pure kindness and shown so bright, that it would light up a room, even on the darkest night. Willie was the light at the end of any tunnel.

Willie leaves behind to cherish his fond memories: one beloved niece, Sheena (Corbert) Kidd; three great-nephews, Corron, Kodan, and Domnic Kidd, whom he held dearly to his heart, and all of whom were reared in the home; one sister, Angela Rucker Heard; one brother, James (Jerry) Norman, all of Athens, GA; one aunt, Evelyn Williams of Wrightsville, GA; two uncles, Howard Gaines of Hartwell, GA, and David Rucker of Augusta, GA; and one nephew, two great-nephews, and one great-niece.



Order of Service

- Processional
- Selection..... St. John Choir
- Prayer.....Evangelist Mozelle Martin
- Scripture
 - Old TestamentRev. James Parlow
 - New Testament Prophet Pernell Jones
- Reflections..... Bro. Shawn Moon
- Selection..... St. John Choir
- Acknowledgements..... Sis. Darlene Martin
- Solo..... Bro. Robert Mattox
- Eulogy.....Rev. Cassandra Ellington
- Recessional..... Bro. Robert Mattox