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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

There are no words to fully explain the gratitude we have for all florals, food, shoulders we leaned on, or simply time you've spared us during our time of need. We thank you. May God bless you and be with you for all your thoughtfulness and loyalty.

~~The Family~~



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Celebration of Life



MR. Willie James

Holmes

ALPHA
September 23, 1948

OMEGA
August 28, 2021



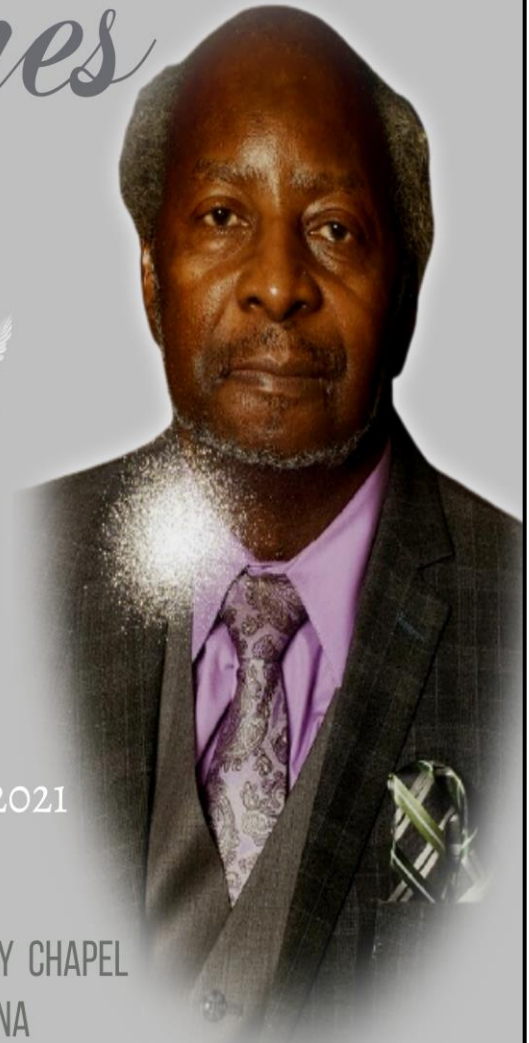
SERVICE

Friday, September 3, 2021
11:00 AM

SANDERS-THOMPSON MORTUARY CHAPEL
CLINTON, SOUTH CAROLINA

Minister Albert Scurry, Officiating

"SONNY"



ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude	
Processional	Clergy and Family
Final Viewing	Family and Friends
Solo	Bro. Willie Seawright
Scripture Reading	
Old Testament	Bro. J. D. Williams
New Testament	Bro. John Austin
Prayer	Bro. Charles Austin
Solo	Bro. Willie Seawright
Remarks	Ms. Sierra Holmes, <i>Granddaughter</i> Mr. Clint Thompson, <i>Friend</i> Bro. Bronson Roberts, <i>Brother-in-Christ</i>
Solo	Bro. Willie Seawright
Words of Comfort	Minister Albert Scurry
Closing Prayer	Minister
Recessional	
Committal Service	
Prayer, Committal, and Benediction	Graveside

INTERMENT

Rosemont Cemetery
Clinton, South Carolina

A SILENT TEAR

Just close your eyes and you will see All the memories that you have of me
Just sit and relax and you will find I'm really still there inside your mind
Don't cry for me now I'm gone For I am in the land of song
There is no pain, there is no fear So dry away that silent tear
Don't think of me in the dark and cold For here I am, no longer old
I'm in that place that's filled with love Known to you all, as "up above"

OBITUARY

Mr. Willie James Holmes was born on September 23, 1948 in Laurens County, South Carolina to the late Albert Holmes and Jessie Mae Freeman.

"Sonny," as he was lovingly called, was a member of the Church of Christ on I-85 in Greenville, South Carolina. He was an FFA licensed Private Pilot as well as an honorary member of Tuskegee Airmen.

On Saturday, August 28, 2021, Mr. Willie James Holmes was received into eternity at his residence of 5 Deloris Street in Greenville, South Carolina at the age of seventy-two.

Willie leaves to cherish fond memories his wife, Joanne Calhoun Holmes; one daughter, Marcia Lynette Little; two sons: Willie James Holmes, Jr. and Steven (Kimberly) Holmes; five beautiful grandchildren: Kristopher Holmes, Sierra Holmes, Jeniah Holmes, Keyetta Calhoun, Skyeland Holsonback; one great grandchild, Keyanna Durham; one sister, Luvenia (George) Franks of Clinton, South Carolina; three brothers: James Osiris (Maria) Shabazz of Eureka, California, Robert Copeland and Jaminson both of North York, Pennsylvania; a special friend, Mrs. Mary Arnold of Honea Path, South Carolina; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and many friends who will miss him dearly.

