

When We Lost You

The day that we lost you,
I knew that is was true,
but it wasn't easy.

Oh how if we could see you once more
and walk through the door,
yet I know it will happen no more.

I know that you know
we are filled with tears
and grief be it so.

It give us healing and peace
simply because we are torn and broken
yet your love is still a token in our hearts.

Ma I love you and pray that
God will give us all the strength
from day to day to accept the going down of
the sun
when we lost you.

Mama I love you, yes.
These words are true
my, my, my the day we lost you.

Love your daughter,
Sharon

Flower Bearers

Cairo High School, Class of 2000

Addriel Glenn
Jeanette McClendon

Annette McClendon
Clara Butler

Honorary Pallbearers

Calvin Dennis, Jr.
Jimmy Willis
Lewis Washington

James Willis
Dr. Lee Washington
Michael Washington

Active Pallbearers

Ty'rique K. Willis
Derrick McCree
Curtis Washington
Zale Jones

Jermaine Washington
Bruce Lovette, Jr.
Gemika Ivey

Acknowledgements

With sincere appreciation, the family of
Mrs. Jeanette McBride Willis would like to thank you for your
heartfelt condolences whether you gave food, visited, called and
prayed, during our bereavement, we express our gratitude.
We thank you for helping us to bear our grief. Your kind and
comforting acts of kindness will never be forgotten.

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In Loving Memory OF



Sunrise:
September 24, 1942

Sunset:
November 30, 2018

MRS. JEANETTE
McBride Willis

Saturday, December 8, 2018
at 12:00 p.m.

BETHLEHEM A.M.E. CHURCH

412 2nd Street Southwest
Cairo, Georgia 39828

Rev. Dr. Debra Knight, Pastor
Dr. Dellise Cox, *Officiating*

Obituary

Mrs. Jeanette McBride Willis, was born on September 24, 1942, to the late Herbert and Vera Higdon McBride. She departed this life on November 30, 2018, at Clinch County Memorial Hospital, Homerville, Georgia.

She was a loving person and dedicated her life to the Lord at an early age and joined Bethlehem A.M. E Church. She was a 1961 graduate of Washington Consolidated High School, and she attended Thomas Technical Institute where she obtained a diploma in Culinary Arts. Mrs. Willis retired from Grady General Hospital after working 25 years in Dietary, and five years as a Dietary Supervisor. She later pursued her passion for childhood development.

She was married to Mr. Joe Rufus Willis, where on June 22, 1965, they became as one: maintained and ordained by God.

She leaves to cherish her memories of 53 years to her husband, Mr. Joe Rufus Willis. To this union, God blessed them to raise wonderful children: son, Calvin Dennis Jr. (Joanna Dennis), daughters, Sharon Y. Cook (Leroy Melvin Cook), Melissa D. Hudson, MA (Dr. Curtis Hudson, Jr.), and Major (R) Jennifer L. Dennis; five adorable grandchildren: Ty'rique K. Willis, Ki Azzeaia Collier, Za'Niyah Collier, Curtis Hudson III, and Cameron Dennis; a Great Grandson, Cameron Thomas Jr.; two sisters-in-law: Mrs. Patricia Willis and Mrs. Christine Willis of Cairo, GA and two brothers-in- law, Mr. James Willis and Mr. Jimmy Willis. A host of Godchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends are grateful for the wisdom imparted by this kind woman who touched their lives.

Mrs. Willis was preceded in death by her parents, three sisters: Lennie Washington, Annie Lee Garrison, Lula Waldell; two brothers: Sherman McBride and Joe McBride; two sisters-in-law: Roberta M. Brown and Linda Dennis and one brother-in-law, Walter Willis, Jr.



Family and Memories of Jeanette McBride Willis



Order of Service

- Musical Prelude
- Processional
- The Parting View and Seating of Family
- PrayerRev. Dr. Debra Knight
- SelectionChoir
- Scriptures:
 - Old TestamentBishop Ruben Addison
 - New TestamentPastor Dorothy Harris
- Tribute.....Melissa D. Hudson, MA
- SoloDelila Johnson
- Reflections
- Performance.....Rock Arie Chapter# 300
- SelectionChoir
- AcknowledgementSis. Lisa Atkins
- SoloShanta Brown
- EulogyRev. Anton McBride
- Recessional
- Postlude



Interment

Cairo Cemetery
5th Street S.E.
Cairo, Georgia 39828

Repast

Sylvester W. Williams Multi-Purpose Building
204 Church Street S.W
Cairo, Georgia 39828