

### *Pallbearers*

Harry Mitchell Jr.      Alvin Phillips      Jermaine Rogers  
Harry Mitchell III      Kendall Mitchell      Jarvis Mitchell  
Dominique Mahone

### *Family Gratitude*

*The family of Willie Hewitt Terry would like to thank each of you for your many acts of kindness, expressions of love and concern in this time of bereavement. May God bless and keep you.*

### **God's Garden**

*God looked around his garden, And found an empty place.  
He then looked down upon the earth, And saw your tired face.  
He put His arms around you, And lifted you to rest.  
God's garden must be beautiful, He always takes the best.  
He knew that you were suffering, He knew that you were in pain.  
He knew that you would never, Get well on earth again.  
He saw the road was getting rough, And the hills were hard to climb.  
So He closed your weary eyelids, And whispered "Peace be thine."  
It broke our hearts to lose you, But you did not go alone...  
For part of us went with you, The day God called you home.*

*~ Author: D. W. McConway*

### *Arrangements Entrusted To*



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## ***A Beautiful Life to Remember Your Journey Home***

# *Willie Hewitt Terry*

**June 27, 1935**

**May 29, 2021**



**MATTHEW 5:4**

**"BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO MOURN, FOR THEY WILL BE COMFORTED."**

**MONDAY, JUNE 7, 2021**

**VISITATION: 10:00 A.M.**

**SERVICE: 11:00 A.M.**

**ALFORD'S MORTUARY**

**1222 NAPIER STREET • SOUTH BEND, INDIANA 46601**

**REV. TERRELL MORRIS, OFFICIANT**

## *A Journey Remembered*

*Willie Hewitt Terry departed this life Saturday, May 29, 2021, at his residence. Willie was born June 27, 1935, in Covington Tennessee to the union of Hewitt Terry and Gladys Davis Harris.*

*Willie received his primary education in the Tennessee School system before relocating to Chicago, Illinois with his parents and siblings.*

*Willie gave his life to Christ at an early age. While living in Chicago Willie worked as a Shoe Shiner which he said everyone came to his booth because he was the "Best", which we can believe that because he had the gift to gab. Later in life, he moved to South Bend, Indiana where he worked for White Farms, and then for Dodge Foundry from where he retired. Willie's two major accomplishments were his children and the fact that he was sober for 45 years.*

*Willie's memory will be cherished by his daughters Renata (Steven) Glenn of Sauk Village, Illinois, Loretta Mitchell and Gladys Terry both of South Bend Indiana, Shaurice Terry of Schaumburg, Illinois, and Gwendolyn (Emmanuel) Harris of Bolingbrook, Illinois; his sons: Jerry (Dena) Mitchell of Federal Way, Washington, Andre (MaryAnn) Terry of South Holland, Illinois, Deair Terry of Matteson Illinois and Harry (Evelyn) Michell Jr. of South Bend Indiana. He has a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren; a sister, Sharon Watts of Pontiac, Michigan; along with a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and many, many friends who will miss him.*

*Willie was preceded in death by his life partner, Vivian Mitchell; parents Hewitt Terry and Gladys Davis Harris; a sister, Shirley Sanders; brothers-in-law: Percy Sanders and Eddie Watts; sons: Lester Terry and Lawrence Mitchell; and grandson, Cordell Mahone Jr.; and a brother, John Terry.*

## *Order of Service*

Monday, June 7, 2021 • 11:00 a.m.

### *Alford's Mortuary*

Rev. Terrell Morris, Officiant

Processional.....Clergy and Family

Prayer..... Rev. Terrell Morris

### *The Holy Scriptures*

Old Testament Reading ..... Rev. Terrell Morris

New Testament Reading ..... Rev. Terrell Morris

Selection ..... Kathy Brown

Reading of the Obituary ..... Evelyn Mitchell

Selection ..... Kathy Brown

The Eulogy..... Rev. Terrell Morris

Recessional .....Clergy, Family and Friends

***“For as long as life and love shall last,  
We will remember thee.”***

### *Interment*

Highland Cemetery • South Bend, Indiana