

Family Expression of Gratitude

Perhaps you sang a lovely song or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a beautiful flower piece, if so, we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as a friend would say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day. Perhaps you prepared some tasty food or maybe furnished a car. Perhaps you rendered a service unseen, near at hand or from afar. Whatever you did to console our hearts, by word or deed or touch, whatever was the kind part, we thank you, oh so very much.

—THE WILLIS FAMILY

Active Pallbearers

Lamare Williams | Thomas McCain
Raymon Bonner | Willie Carter, Sr.
Audrey Simmons | Willie Carter, III

Honorary Pallbearers

Jeralal Briscor, Jr. | Aleaia Edney

She Shall Rest
Doris Miller Memorial Park
4855 Bellmead Dr. | Waco, Texas 76705

Announcement
Dinner will be served at 3300 Lyle Ave. | Waco, Texas



Our family serving your family

SERENITY LIFE CELEBRATIONS
2925 North 18th Street
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THE HOMEGOING CELEBRATION FOR THE LIFE OF

Mrs. Arvella Green Willis

SUNRISE

May 25, 1946

SUNSET

March 29, 2021

Her Service

Saturday, April 3, 2021
11:00 a.m.

LIVING WORD CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

1005 Dunbar Street
Waco, Texas 76704

Dr. Gilbert Gillum, Pastor
Dr. Robert Cummings, Jr. – Eulogist
Elder Luther Roddy – Officiant

Life Reflections

Sis Arvella Willis was born May 25, 1946, in Waco, Texas. God called her home March 29, 2021.

Arvella was the daughter of Mr. Green and Mattie B. Green Washington. She attended high school and later received her G.E.D. and attended TSTI for two years. She gave her life to God and became a member of Community Baptist Church where she sang in the choir. She moved to Rising Star Baptist Church where she continued to sing in the choir and loved going fishing.

She was preceded in death by her father and mother, Hollice Green and Mattie B. Green; two brothers, Jimmy Irvin and Joe Simmons; and one sister, Mattie Davis.

Arvella leaves to cherish her memories, husband, Lavalie Willis, Jr., of Ft. Worth, Texas; two daughters, Ronda Parmes and Jeanette Briscoe; two sons, Elroy Green and Willie Carter, all of Waco, Texas; one brother, Cle Authur Simmons of Aurora, Colorado; ten grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, and many other relatives and friends who loved her dearly.

Order of Service

PROCESSIONAL

MUSICAL SELECTION

Deacon Ron Parmes

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Old Testament - Prophetess Shirl Jones
New Testament - Deacon Michael Parmes

PRAYER

Dr. Robert Cummings, Jr.

MUSICAL SELECTION

Prophetess Shirl Jones

RESOLUTIONS

SPECIAL REMARKS

Sis. Ronda Parmes

REMARKS

Limit 2 Minutes Please 4 People Only

MUSICAL SELECTION

Prophetess Shirl Jones

WORDS OF COMFORT

Dr. Robert Cummings, Jr.

FINAL REFLECTION 'TIL RESURRECTION

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RECESSIONAL

Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also. And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know

JOHN 14:1-4