



Mrs. Cora Lee Williams

April 29, 1917 - September 28, 2018

WILLIAMS, Mrs. Cora Lee - Age 101, passed away Friday, September 28, 2018 at Willowbrook Manor. Family hour 11AM Saturday, October 6, 2018 from True Light Missionary Baptist Church, 6917 Dr. M.L. King Ave., with funeral service commencing at 12PM. Rev. Robert Rushing, officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 11AM Saturday. Mrs. Williams will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed 12PM-8PM Friday with family present to receive friends 5PM-8PM.

Mrs. Cora Lee Williams, the daughter of the late Choicie Perry and Gus Kennedy, passed away peacefully on Friday, September 28, 2018 at Willowbrook Manor in Flint, Mi at the age of 101.

Cora Lee Williams was born April 29, 1917 in Lena, Mississippi. She was a member of Halls Chapel in Flora, MS and accepted Christ at an early age. Cora was the devoted wife of the late Deacon Ruben Williams affectionately known as "Papa Rube" who preceded her in death in 1985. They settled in Bolton, MS in the late 50's where they raised their family of eight. They were blessed with a marriage that lasted 46 years. After the passing of "Papa Rube" she relocated to Flint, Michigan, where she became a faithful member of True Light Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. Marcellus Burkett. Cora was a Mother of the church and served on the Mother

Board as well as the Mission Society. She loved to sew and her handmade quilts will be a treasured keepsake for those fortunate enough to own one. Cora also loved to garden, whether it be flowers, vegetables or fruits. Her homemade meals were the highlight of the day and all was welcomed to partake.

Mrs. Cora Lee Williams was a resident at Willowbrook Manor for 21 years and she made sure that everyone knew that she was the Boss. She loved to work Find The Words puzzles, play Bingo and interact with the other residents. Her influence will forever remain in the lives of all who knew her.

Mrs. Cora Lee Williams was the Matriarch of a very unique family which spanned 6 generations. Her beautiful life will be forever cherished by her: daughter, Doris Williams of Washington, DC; sons, Percy Williams and James (Pat) Williams, all of Flint; sister, Wyonnie Felder of Detroit, MI; brother, Rev. Billie Kennedy of Lena, MS; 27 grandchildren; 87 great-grandchildren; 88 great-great-grandchildren; 4 great-great-great-grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Williams was preceded in death by her children, Rufus Williams and Willie Moore (1970); daughters-in-law, Eloise Moore (2006), Nettie Jean Perry (1993) and Angeline Brown (2018); son-in-law, Albert Brown (2018); sisters, Annie L. Thompson (2017) Dorothy Ruffin and Myrtis Ward; brother, Andrew Perry (2002), Ray Perry (2010), Percy Kennedy, Willie Earl Kennedy and James Kennedy; grandsons, Tommy Jr. Deonta Perry (2010), Ervin West (2012), Sterling Johnson (2013), Calvin Thompson (2017) and Duane Coleman (2017); as well as step-grandson, Adreann Brown (2007) and step-granddaughter, Glenda Brown (2015); mother, Choicie Perry (1980); father, Gus Kennedy (1979); grandparents, Rufus and Lula (York) Perry; aunts, Minnie Pearl McBounds (1964) and Ozella Harris (1998); special cousins, Mildred Perry (1989), Odee Perry (2002), L.C. Sparkman, Mary (Charlie Mae)

Vance (2012), Alice Bracy (2013), Lula Mae Williams (2009); and nephew-in-law, Arnold Smiley Sr. (2005).

The Family of Cora Williams would like to thank her longtime physician Dr. Linval Fleetwood, M.D., McLaren Hospice, and the entire staff of Willowbrook Manor for their excellent care of our loved one. We would also like to thank Rev. and Lady Rushing and the True Light Missionary Baptist Church family for their unconditional love and support during these trying times.

Cemetery Details

River Rest Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Viewing

OCT 5. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-MOON (6666)
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com
<http://www.lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family hour

OCT 6. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

True Light Missionary Baptist Church
6917 M.L. King Ave.
Flint, MI

Service

OCT **6**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Ricki Brooks lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



Ricki Brooks - October 06, 2018 at 01:12 AM



“ *10 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - October 05, 2018 at 01:09 PM

LP

“ *LISA PAYTON lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



LISA PAYTON - October 05, 2018 at 12:10 PM



“ *Nikki Marchell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



Nikki Marchell - October 04, 2018 at 07:44 PM

JR

“ *Mother, you truly will be miss by the entire True Light church family, especially on the first Sunday evenings of the month at 4:00 pm at Willowbrook Manor. You are gone from our present but not our hearts. R IH Sweetie.*

Johnnie Rawls - October 03, 2018 at 11:32 PM

AN

“ Grandma,

Thank you for all of the wonderful years we were blessed to have you with us. I love you so much. Thank you for passing down your strength which allows me to stand tall although I am grieving and will miss you always.

*Your Granddaughter,
Angela*

Angela - October 03, 2018 at 10:02 PM

ME

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Melody - October 03, 2018 at 04:25 PM

ME

“ Melody lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams



Melody - October 03, 2018 at 04:24 PM

JM

“ *Jimmye Maxwell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



Jimmye Maxwell - October 03, 2018 at 01:37 PM

LG

“ *Lorenzo McBounds & Lula's Girls purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams.*



Lorenzo McBounds & Lula's Girls - October 03, 2018 at 01:13 PM

GC

“ *Gert Clemons lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



Gert Clemons - October 03, 2018 at 12:11 AM

GC

“ *Gert Clemons lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



Gert Clemons - October 03, 2018 at 12:04 AM

CM

“ Hello, sorry to hear about Mrs. Cora. I would give her a hug, when i visited my mom. She would tell me i look nice and smell nice. She would ask why I'm dress up, I'll say i been to church and she said she wish she can go to church. I'll tell her she will. I will miss you friend

Catherine Miller - October 02, 2018 at 06:09 PM

DP

“ Dorothy & Lisa Payton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams



Dorothy & Lisa Payton - October 01, 2018 at 06:24 PM



“ Yvette Milton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams



Yvette Milton - October 01, 2018 at 05:07 PM

TB

“ Tracey Williams Brown sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams



Tracey Williams Brown - October 01, 2018 at 12:02 PM

SF

“ *Sandra Williams Funchess lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



Sandra Williams Funchess - October 01, 2018 at 12:01 PM

NA

“ *Condolences to the family, God really does care for us and we can find Comfort at this scripture at 1 Peter 5:7*

narvella - October 01, 2018 at 09:47 AM

VM

“ *Victoria McCreay lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



Victoria McCreay - September 30, 2018 at 03:01 PM



“ *Bert Granberry lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



Bert Granberry - September 30, 2018 at 01:57 PM

CE

“ *C Elam lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



C Elam - September 29, 2018 at 05:59 PM

AL

“ *Alvina sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



Alvina - September 29, 2018 at 11:30 AM

AL

Rest peacefully Grandma. Tell Angeline and Dad/Albert I said "Hello"

Alvina - September 29, 2018 at 11:32 AM

GC

Sister Clemons Lit a candle in memory of Mother Williams.

Gertrude Clemons - September 30, 2018 at 11:51 PM



Mrs Cora you will truly be missed

Ozzie Boone - October 03, 2018 at 04:54 PM

MP

“ *MINISTER PAM lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cora Lee Williams*



MINISTER PAM - September 29, 2018 at 07:59 AM



My condolences to the Williams family Mrs Cora Williams will truly be missed RIH Mrs Cora

Ozzie Boone - September 29, 2018 at 02:20 PM

CE

I met Ms. Cora last year during the time while my Dad was at Willowbrook. She was a beautiful person. RIH Ms. Cora

Carletta Evans - October 05, 2018 at 03:24 PM