



Johnny Wayne Williams

October 25, 1962 - March 29, 2026

Johnny Wayne Williams was born on October 25, 1962, in Hope, Arkansas, to the late Horman and Ruby (Coleman) Williams.

Throughout his growing-up years, he attended New Bethel Baptist Church. As an adult, he moved his membership to Rush Memorial Congregational Church in Atlanta, Georgia. He graduated from Hope High School, Hope, Arkansas, Guthrie Job Corp. Guthrie, Oklahoma and Langston University, Langston, Oklahoma with a Bachelor of Science in Sociology and Criminal Justice.

His military service included a stint with the United States Air Force. During Johnny's free-time his love of music particularly jazz kept him attending as many jazz concerts as possible. Johnny liked traveling across the country visiting his family and friends, touring museums and places of historical interest and entertainment.

Johnny's strong work ethic led to employment with the Federal Bureau of Prisons (Atlanta, Georgia) as a correctional officer until his retirement. While we think he left us too soon we are grateful for our brief years together.

Johnny is predeceased by his parents; brothers: Ned Williams (Vallejo, CA), Harmon Williams (Hope, AK), David Williams (Hope, AK), and Michael Charles Williams (Atlanta, GA). Our loved one has left to mourn his passing, his

wife Virginia; step-daughter: Lashanda (Martin) Berewa (Atlanta, GA); step-son: Derrick Johnson (Lexington, KY); step-granddaughter: Kristen Dawson (Atlanta, GA); sisters: Mrs. Mavis McMullen (Atlanta, GA), Mrs. Wilma (Flint) Amenejekere (Long Beach, CA), Mrs. Ruth Williams (Houston, TX); brothers: Mr. Willis E. (Elaine) Williams, Mr. Marvin A. Williams, Mr. Percy G. Williams (all of Atlanta, GA); sister-in-law: Young Cho (Atlanta, GA), and a host of cousins, nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, and friends.

Services entrusted to Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Home, 4347 Flat Shoals Parkway, Decatur, Georgia 30034.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 8. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Gregory B Levett and Son Funeral Home - Flat Shoals Location
4347 Flat Shoals Pkwy
Decatur, GA 30034

Celebration of Life Service

APR 9. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

APR 9. 2:30 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Carver-Moore Cemetery
350 Upper Riverdale Road
Jonesboro, GA 30236

Tribute Wall

CF

“ Carree & Mary Coleman Jr. and family purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Johnny Wayne Williams.



Carree & Mary Coleman Jr. and family - April 08 at 03:39 PM

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“ Carree & Mary Coleman Jr. and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Johnny Wayne Williams.

Carree & Mary Coleman Jr. and family - April 08 at 03:39 PM

JS

“ RIP Johnny. You were always friendly, kind and pleasant to be around. My condolences to your wife, family, and friends. 🙏🙏



Jeanette Shavers - April 08 at 01:16 PM

JC

“ Brother Johnny may you receive a peaceful journey as you make your way to the ancestral realm. Glad we met on this journey of life. May your family be touched by the spirit of the Ancestors through this difficult time. We are going to miss you.



John cu - April 07 at 08:02 PM

AS

“ So many good memories. My friend loved you Johnny . Calling her baby girl was pure joy . Virginia laughed every time I mention it . I'll always take care your wife Virginia (baby girl)

altheria g seals - April 05 at 09:58 PM

WW

“ Thank God for the gift of memory, and as the years come and go, may our remembrances of Johnny grow sweeter and sweeter...
His sister, Wilma.

Willma Williams - April 04 at 07:56 PM

AS

“ Memory . Johnny calling (virgina) his wife baby girl . Love between them .

altheria g seals - April 01 at 10:11 PM

AS

Johnny , you answered Gods call RIP . Got your angel wings . Say hello all my family . My mudear , Darryl f . Seals . I'll always look after Baby girl your loving wife (Virginia

altheria g seals - April 05 at 09:51 PM