Obituary

Willie Lawson, Jr of Mount Pleasant, South Carolina passed away on Wednesday, February 21, 2024.

Willie was born on October 3, 1935 to Mr. Willie Lawson, Sr and Mrs. Roxie Lee Lawson in Ruffin, North Carolina. Living in this quaint community encouraged his love of the outdoors and beautiful things.

Upon completion of his education in Rockingham County School System, Willie moved to New York City to seek gainful employment. He was blessed to be hired at Bellevue Hospital in the elevator services department. Bellevue is the oldest public hospital in the United States. He worked there for 32 years until retirement.

In the 1960's Willie met Anna Lee Manigault, they married and consequently had three children.

Willie was predeceased by his parents Willie Lawson, Sr, and Roxie Lee Lawson; wife Anna Lee Lawson; son Matthew Lawson; siblings Jesse Lawson, Lille Mae Lawson, Sam Lee Lawson, James Lawson, Edward Lawson, and Geneva Nalle.

He leaves to cherish his memories, two daughters, Sharntell Scott (Leon) and Ann Elaine Ivey; siblings, Gloria Abram, Annis Gazaway and Ernest Lawson; grandchildren, Kia Lawson, Naydine Lawson, Vincent Lee Ivey, Samone Lee Ivey, Desiree Lee Ivey, Tachante Scott, T'neesha Scott and TaQuan Scott; along with a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends.



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We'll always remember that special smile,
That caring heart, that warm embrace
you always gave us.
You being there for Mom and us
Through good and bad times, no matter what.
We'll always remember you Dad because there'll never be another one to replace you in our hearts,

And the love we will always have for you

Love Sharntell and Elaine

We Remember Bro. Willie



We have often heard the statement "May the Work I've Done Speak For Me", several members of the church community and local prayer team were asked to prepare words of tribute to Bro. Willie Lawson, amazingly, all came up with near-identical statements.

Bro. Willie Lawson was a born-again believer blessed with the gift of the Holy Spirit.

He was willing to share his time, talent, and resources. He was a faithful member of the Garden of Prayer Church Prayer Team and attended those services on Wednesday and Thursday mornings where he read from the Book of Psalms.

Bro. Willie wore spotless white suits, shiny shoes and was always sure that his nails were perfectly manicured; his afro showcased every strand of hair in place.

He was a provider for his family and a well-mannered gentleman.

Mother Eva M. Jefferson Mother MaeBell Coakley Sis. Joyce V. Coakley Deacon Herman Wilson

Order of Service

Pastor Donald Fludd, Officiant Deliverance Tabernacle Church

PreludeBro. Tyrone Ellis	Processional	Opening PrayerProphetess Rhonda Frazier	Chant	Scripture Readings Old Testament Psalm 23 Evangelist Mazie Brown New Testament John 14:1-6 Minister Lawrence Ford
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Deacon William Bailem
Deacon Kwame Kinlaw
Bro. Tony Mazyck
Bro. Leon Scott
Deacon Herman Wilson

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Mother Marie Rivers Fellowship Hall

Acknowledgements

The family of the late

Willie Lawson, Fr.

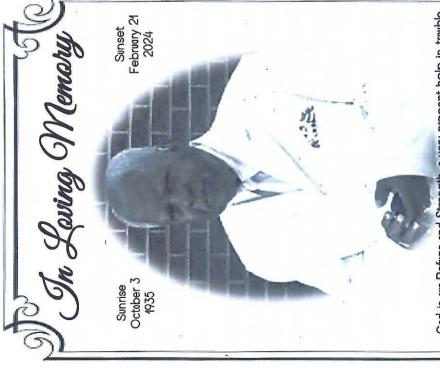
wishes to express heartfelt gratitude for all expressions of kindness during the illness and death of our dear loved one. Your smiles, kind words, and emotional support meant so very much to us. Special prayers have been rendered for each of you.

Sharntell, Elaine and the entire Lawson Family

Professional Services Entrusted To



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God is our Refuge and Strength, a very present help in trouble. Psalm 46:1

Willie Lawson, Fr

Friday, March 1, 2024 at 41:00AM
Garden of Prayer Pentecostal
Holiness Church of Lighthouse
2537 Highway 17 North
Mount Pleasant, South Carolina 29466
Michael A. Turner, Pastor
Interment

Church Cemetery