Of Life For



Williams
Sunset: January 13, 2024

Active Pallbearers

D'Quavious Reed | Zion Brockington | Jekevious Gaskin Adrian Wilkerson | Mike Paulk | Qua Paulk

Flower Bearers American Legion Post 515 Auxiliary

Acknowledgements

Whatever you did to console our hearts we thank you so much for whatever part. We deeply appreciate your kind expressions of sympathy in our time of great sorrow. Thank you for keeping us in your thoughts and prayers.

– The Family of Gladys Paulk Williams

Interment

Douglas City Cemetery 1623 North Gaskin Avenue Douglas, Georgia 31533

Repast **ECIM Social Hall** 489 N 206 Connector Douglas, Georgia 31533 Telebration

Saturday, January 20, 2024 11:00 AM

The Empowerment Center International Ministries 489 North 206 Connector Douglas, Georgia 31533

Eulogist, Pastor Frank Bussey

Gladys Paulk
Surrise: July 24, 1953

Final Arrangements Entrusted To:

Life Reflections

Gladys Paulk Williams was born on July 24, 1953, to the late Cleveland and Minnie Mae Paulk in Douglas, Georgia. Affectionately known as "CoCo," she held the honor of being the third of eight remarkable sisters.

Gladys received her education at Carver High School, but her true gift was found in her melodious voice. Singing was a cherished tradition in the Paulk family, and Gladys contributed her beautiful voice to this legacy. She was a dedicated member of ECIM, where she faithfully served under the leadership of Pastor Frank Bussey Jr. Gladys was not only an usher but also an active member of the American Legion Post 515 Auxiliary. Her commitment to her faith was unwavering.

In addition to her church family, Gladys was a pillar of strength in her community, always ready to extend a helping hand to those in need. Her kindness and generosity touched the lives of many.

Gladys Paulk Williams was preceded in death by three sisters, Virginia, Carolyn, and Sylvia; her beloved son, Taiwan Reed; and one cherished grandson, DaQuavious Reed.

She leaves behind a legacy of love and fond memories to be cherished by her devoted husband of many years, Willie Rush Williams; two loving sons, David (Shantrease) Reed and Shantodd (Yushika McDonald) Reed; four sisters: Veronica Pugh, Barbara Paulk, Margaret Paulk, and Sherry Paulk; six grandchildren: JeKevious Gaskin, Kyle Jones, Zaria Reed, Zion Brockington, Zyshon Reed, and Lakley McRae; two great-grandchildren: Brett McIver and Alahna Reed; a special Goddaughter, Sheal'tiel Paulk; an uncle, Charlie Williams; an aunt, Mamie Ruth Williams; and special friends: Gloria Davis, Diane Martin, Vivian Loving, Qwaima Clark; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Precious Memories



Order of Service

Presiding, Archbishop Quintard Caldwell

Processional......Ministers and Family Final Glimpse Invocation.....Bishop Richard Denning Selection......Community Choir Scripture Reading Old Testament..Pastor Tawana Wilcox New Testament....Pastor Willie Carter Solo......Anterius Vickers Reflections......Please Limit To Two Minutes As a Friend......Gloria Davis As a Friend......Vivian Loving As a Friend.....Qwaima Clark As a Son.....Shantodd Reed Selection......Community Choir Eulogy.....Pastor Frank Bussey Acknowledgements......Harrell's Staff

Benediction