IN LOVING MEMORY OF RETIRED SERGEANT FIRST CLASS

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FRIDAY, JULY 14, 2023
I WELVE O'CLOCK NOON

KINSEY & WALTON FUNERAL HOME

3618 PEACH ORCHARD ROAD | AUGUSTA, GEORGIA

SAMANTHA WINTERS | EULOGIST

### LIFE STORY

**CHARLES WINTERS**, beloved husband of Esther Winters died peacefully in his home on July 8, 2023, in Augusta, Georgia surrounded by family at his bedside.

Charles was born February 4, 1947, in Dunleith, Mississippi. He attended Soldan High School in St. Louis Missouri before enlisting into the United States Army in 1968, at the age of 21.

Charles was no stranger to achievements. During his service he was awarded: two commendation awards, three achievement medals, ranging from his leadership training

and amazing coordination over a battalion, and a recruiting badge with one gold star.

He retired as a Sgt. First Class in November of 1989, at Fort Gordon where he served twenty-three years. Charles never stopped learning which was evident from his associate degree in criminal justice studies as well as making the deans list twice at Phillips Junior College.

He was a loving and respected father, grandfather, husband, and role model to those around him. Though he may have passed, we know he was accepted by the Lord in Heaven where he will watch and guide us through the rest of our lives to safety and prosperity.

He was preceded in death by: mother, Velma Winters; sisters, Deleria Maiden and Lynne Renee; brother, Ricky Brown; and grandmother, Sylvia Winters.

Mr. Winters is survived by: son, Charles, Jr. of Seattle, Washington; daughter, Samantha Winters of Augusta, Georgia; four grandchildren; and a host of nephews, nieces, cousins and other relatives.

### THE ORDER OF SERVICE

#### MUSICAL PRELUDE

**PROCESSIONAL** 

**CLERGY AND FAMILY** 

**SCRIPTURES** 

ELDER BLANCHE DOWDELL
OLD TESTAMENT

DEACON FREDDIE DOWDELL
NEW TESTAMENT

PRAYER

PASTOR LARRY AUGURSON

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**REMARKS AND DISMISSAL** 

PASTOR LARRY AUGURSON





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**United States Military** 

## GOD'S GARDEN

God looked around his garden And found an empty place, He then looked down upon the earth And saw your tired face. He put his arms around you And lifted you to rest. God's garden must be beautiful He always takes the best. He knew that you were suffering He knew you were in pain. He knew that you would never Get well on earth again. He saw the road was getting rough And the hills were hard to climb. So he closed your weary eyelids And whispered, 'Peace be thine'. It broke our hearts to lose you But you didn't go alone, For part of us went with you The day God called you home.

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

With grateful hearts, we, the family of Charles Winters, acknowledge the many kind expressions of sympathy shown during our time of bereavement. May God continue to bless each of you. -THE WINTERS FAMILY

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