



“To My Siblings - You All Knew”

George Sr., Herman, Lynette, Janice, Linda, Amos Jr., Felecia, Char-maye, Andrea and Gregory please do not worry about me. I am at peace with God, Moma and Dad. You all knew my health did a turn for the worst several times within the last ten years. You all knew I have been living with a collapse lung and the other lung was working at 50%. You all knew my life style. You all knew my papers were in order. You all knew from the most recent CT scan it was not if but when I would be going home to see our love ones who have already gone. You all knew. I'm grateful for the 64 years I was able to spend with each of you.

This is what I KNEW. You all always showed me unconditional love. You all truly cared about me and each other, not just in words but in action. You all remembered what Moma said when we were little, “that is still your brother and sister”.

Now you KNOW. Losing a sibling can be one of the most profound and painful experiences, and the intensity of that pain can stem from several factors: One is because we share an emotional bond. That is a deep emotion connection that is unique compared to any other relationships. The loss can feel like losing a part of yourself. Focus on the memories.

This is what I KNOW. Now when you are looking at the shows I liked, Gunsmoke, The Rifleman, Wagon Train, Bonanza, The Lone Ranger, Have Gun-Will Travel, The Virginian, Cheyenne and Rawhide look a little closer, you just might see me on the side. I Love You Suga Poo/Sugar Foot remember that.

~ George William Southall ~

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Mario Roberts, Dominick Atwaters, Devin Atwaters
Giovanni Southall, Derrick Morris, Julian Campbell

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Dr. Jerome Goodwin, Deacon Jerry Mathis, Brother Drexel Morris
Deacon Johnny Simon, Brother Frederick Bailey, Brother Tracy Livingston
Brother Elliott Washington, Brother Clint Jones

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ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The Kirby & Southall families would like to thank the host of families, friends and loved ones for the many prayers, phone calls, visits, cards and flowers during our time of bereavement. Our prayers and thanks to our friends and neighbors for your gifts of love and acts of kindness during our sorrow.

May God bless you abundantly.

The Family

TRUST AND BELIEVE

Whatever our problems, troubles and sorrow, if we trust in the Lord there'll be brighter tomorrows; For there's nothing too much for the Great God to do. And all that He asks or expects from you is faith that's unshaken by tribulations and tears. That keeps growing stronger along with the years. Content in the knowledge that God knows best and that trouble and sorrow are only a test.

For without God's testing of our soul, it never would reach its ultimate goal. So, keep on believing whatever betide you, knowing that God will be with you to guide you. And all that he promised will be yours to receive. If you trust Him completely and always believe.

BROKEN CHAIN

(revised)

We did not know that afternoon

God was going to really call your name. In life we loved you dearly.

In death we do the same.

It broke our hearts to lose you, you did not go alone for part of us went with you
The day God called you home. You left us peaceful memories Your love is still our guide; and though we cannot see you, you are always at our side.

Our family chain is broken and nothing seems the same,

But as God calls us one by one the chain will link again.

Ron Tranmer



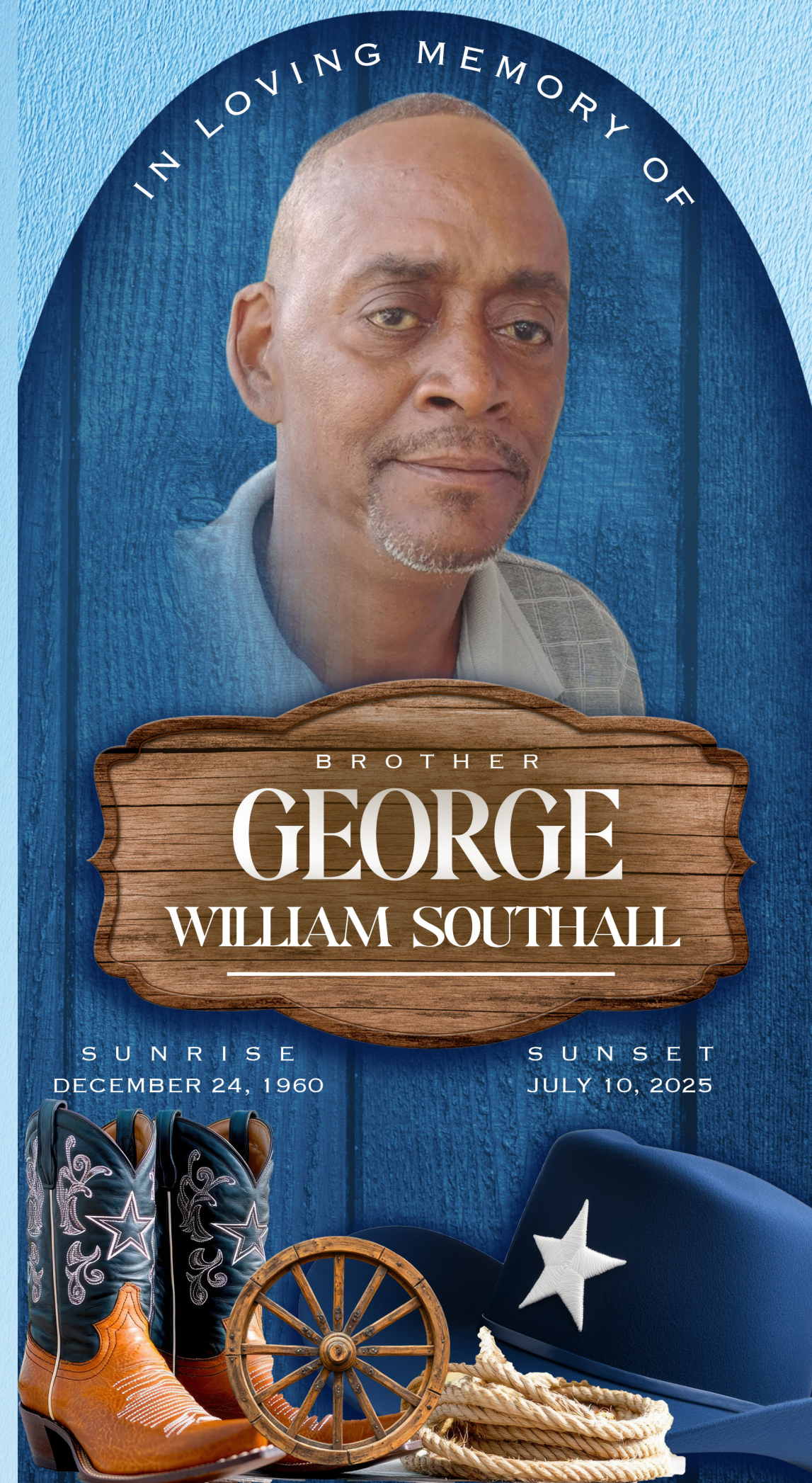
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S U N R I S E
DECEMBER 24, 1960

S U N S E T
JULY 10, 2025



LIFE STORY

On July 10, 2025, Brother George William Southall slipped quietly and peacefully away to a better and more beautiful home, after completion of his last assignment.

Her Christmas Baby: On December 24, 1960, God allowed a very special child, George William Southall to be born in Gilman Hospital Saint Marys, Georgia, to the proud parents of Amos Lee Southall Sr., and Lela Pearl Southall. George was named after Dr. George William Barker who delivered him. Mother Pearl always said she brought George home on Christmas Day.

George was educated in the public schools in Camden County Georgia. As a student, George took a serious interest in art (drawing pictures to scale) with such detail.

George went into the workforce and was very skilled at preserving tanks, floor renovation, carpet installation and building of various styles of roof trusses. George had succumbed to several medical conditions throughout his life, always keeping a positive attitude and humble spirit.

Although George did not have any biological children, he took care of so many of the children in the family. George is affectionately known as Uncle Will to his many nieces and nephews. To his siblings and friends, he was known by Pretty Boy George, The Original Tootsie Roll and GW. Brother George would tell the kids to stay in school and get an education. Known for always telling his family, "I love you Suga Poo and don't forget I love you, before leaving. Brother George was a true, loving, dependable caregiver of his youngest brother Gregory, by providing that continual stability and companionship.

Loving memories of George will be cherished by his four brothers: George Kirby, Sr., of Phoenix AZ, Herman Southall, Amos Southall, Jr. and Gregory Southall, St. Mary's, GA; six sisters: First Lady Lynette (Bishop John) Burroughs, Kingsland, GA, Janice Southall, Jacksonville, FL, Linda (Deacon Jerry) Mathis, St. Mary's, GA, Felecia (Brother Drexel) Morris, Kingsland, GA, Charmaye Lovett Hamilton (Brother Lewis - Deceased) and Andrea (Deacon Johnny) Simon, St. Mary's, GA; one uncle: Herman (Bobby) Southall and a special first cousin, affectionately known as Auntie Juanita Atkinson.

Brother George had many loving and caring family and friends. Special devoted team of doctors: McKinney Medical Center: Dr Marcus Bowen, SGHS: Dr Evan Fountain, Dr Abhishek Bhurwal and a special niece - Nurse Lakeemba (Niki) Atwaters who tracked his care and advised the way forward.

Brother George will be greatly missed by his siblings, the many nieces, nephews, cousins, friends, relatives and the entire North River Community, North River Strong.

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? One thing have I desired of the Lord, that will I seek after; that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the Lord and to enquire in His temple. - Psalm 27: 1-4



ORDER OF SERVICE

Saturday, July 19, 2025 | 12:00PM
Oak Grove Cemetery
290 W. St. Marys Street | St. Marys, Georgia 31158
Bishop John Burroughs, ICCOG - Pastor
Bishop John Burroughs, ICCOG - Eulogist
Sister Lakeemba "Niki" Atwaters, Presiding

Prelude	
Processional & Viewing	Clergy, Pallbearers and Family
Selection	Sister Starlett & Brother Frederick Myers
The Scriptures: Old Testament New Testament	Sister Charmaye Lovett- Hamilton Deacon Jerry Mathis
Prayer	Deacon Jerry Mathis
Selection	Sister Starlett & Brother Frederick Myers
Poem	Sister Carmen Campbell
Expressions of Love: As a Brother Siblings As an Uncle Nieces and Nephews As a Friend/Neighbor Brother Mike Mizell	
Selection	Sister Starlett & Brother Frederick Myers
Reflections (2 minutes please)	
Acknowledgments & Resolutions	Sister Rhonda Bailey
Selection	Sister Starlett & Brother Frederick Myers
Words of Comfort	Bishop John Burroughs / ICCOG
Recessional	

