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CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR



Frankie Willoughby

SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2023
1:00 P.M.

SAINT PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH

301 POPLAR STREET
HOGANSVILLE, GEORGIA

REVEREND BERNARD SUTTON, *PASTOR*

Obituary

Frankie Willoughby, daughter of Clifford and Mary Willoughby was born on May 21, 1922 in Troup County Georgia, where she happily called home. When asked how old she was she would always reply “I’m 100 years old but I feel like I’m 15, now put that in your pipe in smoke it”. Frankie’s passion and talent her entire life was weaving creations from straw and pine needles to share with the community. She was a warm-hearted woman with a great zeal for life. She was extremely intelligent with a quick wit and a bold sassiness that was admirable. She was an independent woman who was very strong willed, no nonsense, and a real go getter. Frankie had a mind of her own, that her mouth would often reveal. She didn’t mince her words of wisdom for anyone and she always told it like it is. She had a strong love for Christ and a deep love, respect, and appreciation for her family. She departed this life on Wednesday, April 26, 2023. She was the middle child of four siblings, Mable Hardin, Louisa Pate and Clifford Willoughby II, whom all preceded her in death.

She leaves to cherish her memory and honor her legacy, one loving son, Bobby Willoughby “whom she loved dearly”; three grandchildren, Bobby Willoughby Jr. (Victoria), Teresa Akins (Earnest) and Natasha Willoughby (Darian); A niece that was just like a daughter to her, Tina Andrews; great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Farewell Dear Mother

Somewhere in my heart beneath all my grief and pain, is a smile I still wear at the sound of your dear name. The precious word is “Mother”, she was my world you see. But now my heart is breaking because she’s no longer here with me. God chose her for His angel to watch me from above, to guide me and advise me and know that I’m still loved. The day she had to leave me when her life on earth was through, God had better plans for her, for this, I surely know. When I think of her kind heart and all those loving years, my memories surround me and I can’t hold back the tears. She truly was my best friend, someone I could confide in, she always had a tender touch and a warm and gentle grin. I want to thank you Mother for teaching me so well, and though the time has come that I must bid you this farewell. I’ll remember all you’ve taught me and make you proud you’ll see. Thank you, my dear Mother, for all the love you showed me. Although you’ve left this earth and now you’ve taken flight, I know that you are here with me each morning, noon and night.

*You rest now Mama,
I Love You,
Your Son, Bobby Willoughby*

Order of Service

Processional.....Clergy and Family
Prayer.....Bishop David Rosser
Song of Comfort.....Kimberly Brown & Crystal Mack
Scripture Reading:
 Old Testament.....Pastor Tamika Avery
 New Testament.....PastorCarolynn Cameron
Prayer of Comfort.....Reverend Bernard Sutton
Song of Comfort.....Eddie Robinson
Reflection (3 minutes, please)
 Family and Friends
Reading of the Obituary (Read Silently)
Song of Comfort.....Kimberly Brown & Crystal Mack
Eulogy.....Reverend Bernard Sutton
Acknowledgement.....Thrash & Sons Funeral Home
Recessional

*Mother and Son
Always and Forever*

Acknowledgements

The Family of Frankie Willoughby would like to express our sincere appreciation, gratitude and thanks for every act of kindness and expressions of love shown to us during this time of bereavement. Thank you for each act of love bestowed upon us to console our hearts. We truly appreciate all that you have done to make this difficult time in our lives a little easier to bear. We love you and May God bless you all.

—The Willoughby Family—