

Casket Bearers
Family and Friends



Flower Bearers
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Gracie's Fight

By: Charmaine Davis Ledbetter

You fought the toughest fight that earthly life could bring;
Now you can take off your gloves, put on your crown and exit the ring.

And though life may not have went exactly how you wanted it to go,
I never saw you complain or fold; you just went with the flow.

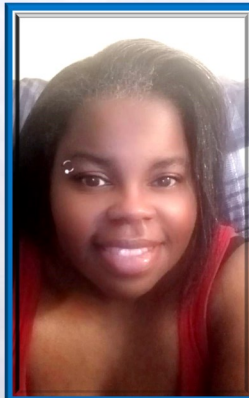
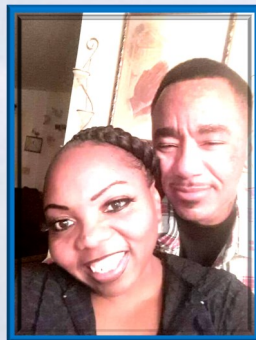
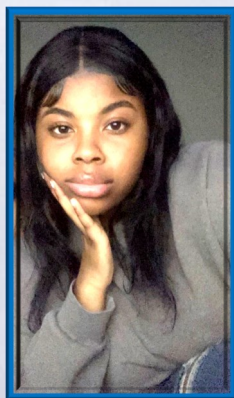
I'm gonna miss your laugh, the one you had when I came over to vent;
You would let me finish and say "girl shut yo mouth" and that was the end of it.

Your wit, personality and Honesty are memories I'll cherish and never part;
and those that were closest can agree that you had the biggest heart!

From raising your grandkids from babies to the beautiful adults we see today
Or the subtle way would buy more food to make sure everyone has ate.

But we're at peace knowing you're at peace and your battle is now Won,
You have no more pain and suffering and your best days are yet to come!

So take off your gloves, put on your crown and go ahead and exit the ring,
You fought the toughest fight. Now you're sitting with the King!



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Celebrating The Life of **Ms. Gracie Mae Goodson**



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*"Peace I leave with you, My peace
I give unto you; not as the world
giveth, give I unto you. Let not
your heart be troubled, neither let
it be afraid." John 14:27*

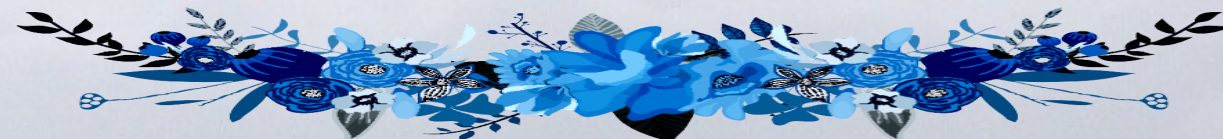
Saturday, August 19, 2023

4:00 P. M.

Chapel of Willis Funeral Home

2011 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd.
Dalton, GA 30721

Rev. Robert Goodson, Eulogist



Order Of Praise

Processional.....Ms. Marilyn Pope, musician
Ministers and Family
Solo.....Mr. Charles Mosley
Holy Scripture:
New Testament.....Minister
Old Testament.....Minister
Prayer.....Minister
Remarks.....Honor The Family.....(2) minutes please
Solo.....Ms. Gussie Turrentine
Eulogy.....Rev. Robert Goodson, nephew
Recessional.....Ms. Marilyn Pope

Committal, Closing Prayer, & Benediction



Interment:
Wesley Chapel Church Cemetery
Fairmount, GA 30139



~Acknowledgement~

Our family sincerely thanks you for your kind expressions of sympathy and thoughtfulness. The cards, food, calls, texts, and prayers have been well received and have blessed us throughout this difficult time. Everything was deeply appreciated and will always be remembered by our family.

May God's grace surround and keep you and your family.

The Family of

Ms. Gracie Mae Goodson

Genesis
January 16, 1944

The Lady Ms. Gracie Mae Goodson

Exodus
August 12, 2023

As we gather today to say our final “Farewell” to Ms. Gracie Mae Goodson, our hearts are filled with her loving memories. She was born January 16, 1944 in Gordon County to the late Willie Floyd Goodson and Octivia Minnie Lee Winters Goodson. Her parents put God and education first. Gracie attended Wesley Chapel Church from an early age and was a member of the 1964 graduation class of Summer Hill High School. She worked for various textile companies and later retired from Sample Factory Plant after many years of faithful service.

Gracie loved her family and spending time with them was the highlight of her week. No matter what day you entered her home, there was a pan of fresh cornbread. Her favorite meal was “Beans and Cornbread”. Gracie enjoyed listening to Gospel music, especially Lee Williams. Ms. Gracie Mae Goodson, loved the Lord, she loved her family and friends, and she loved her “beans and cornbread”. This special lady was healed on Saturday, August 12, 2023. She is now united with her loved ones who went before her; her son, James William Goodson; grandson, Ja’Barret Yamon Goodson; brother, Willie James Goodson; sisters, Kara Goodson Washington and Martha Goodson Slocum.

She is survived by her two daughters, Elizabeth Ann Newell of Rome, GA and Victoria Lousie Goodson of Calhoun, GA; grandchildren, Donnelle Anthony, Jr., Xaxton Goodson both of Rome, GA, Xavier Goodson, and Alana Allen both of Calhoun, GA; great grandchildren, Ja’Laila Anthony and Kadya Anthony both of Calhoun, GA; sisters, Magdalene McAfee, Alean Smith both of Cartersville, GA, and Cozella Hyatt of Calhoun, GA; brothers, Robert (Shirley) Goodson, Bobby Lee (Virginia) Goodson all of Cartersville, GA, Charles Goodson of Rydal, GA, and Billy (Felicia) Goodson of Calhoun, GA; uncle, Bobby Winters of Fairmount, GA; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, and friends.

