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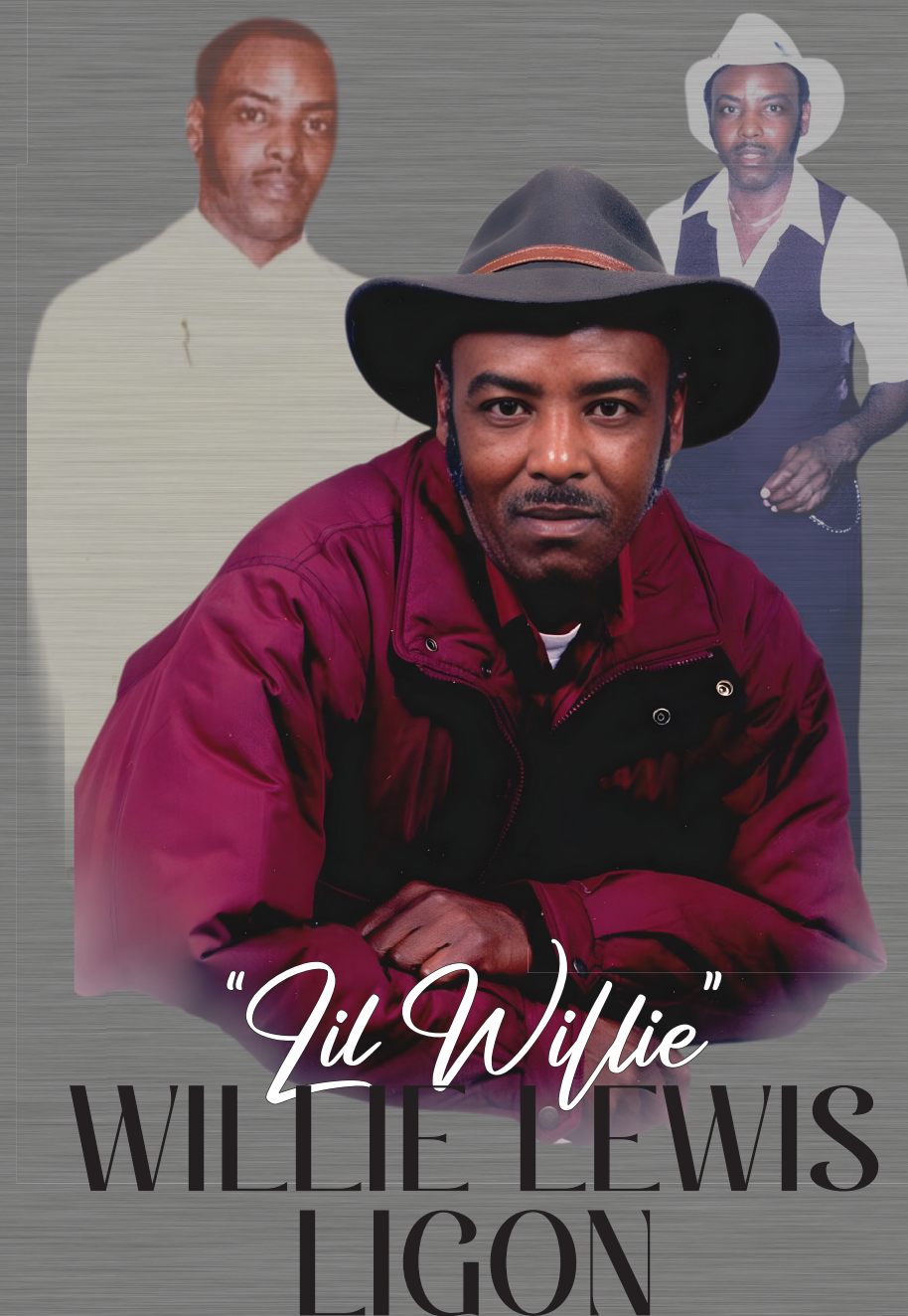
– INTERMENT –
Zion at the Hill A.M.E Church Cemetery
3845 Lee Road 29
Opelika, AL 36804

– ACKNOWLEDGMENT –
The family of the late Mr. Willie Lewis “Lil Willie” Ligon acknowledges with grateful appreciation all acts of kindness, prayers, cards, telephone calls, flowers, and words of comfort extended to us during our time of bereavement. May God bless each one of you.

IN MEMORIAM
May we take this opportunity to express sincere and deep appreciation for allowing us to serve you during this most difficult period. It is our constant aim to afford to the people of this community a service completed in all details and faultlessly executed with sympathy and understanding.

Final Arrangements Entrusted to:
*Harris Funeral Home*
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CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR



WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2025
12:00 O’CLOCK NOON

PROVIDENCE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1180 COUNTY ROAD 43 SOUTH
OPELIKA, AL 36804

REVEREND J.D. DARDEN, PASTOR AND OFFICIANT

- OBITUARY -

Mr. Willie Lewis Ligon, son of the late Mr. Willie James and Mrs. Maggie Pearl Tyner Ligon, was born July 17, 1953, in Macon County, Alabama,

“Lil Willie”, as he was affectionately known by family and friends confessed Christ and united with Providence Missionary Baptist Church in Opelika, Alabama where he was a member of the church choir.

After a fulfilling educational journey at Tuskegee Institute High School, from where he graduated in 1972, he dedicated many years to driving trucks.

Outside of work and worship, Willie’s hobbies reflected his love for life’s simple pleasures. An outstanding cook, especially known for his barbecue. His leisure time often found him with a fishing rod in hand, additionally, Lil Willie took great pride in his vehicle, and neighbors would regularly see him lovingly detailing his car, making it shine.

On Wednesday, November 19, 2025, he departed this life at his home in Auburn, Alabama. He was preceded in death by: two brothers, Johnny James Ligon and Willie James Ligon; two sisters, Betty Love and Sarah Moss.

He leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Sadie Ligon of Auburn, AL; five children, Demetrious Ligon, Colthilda (Damon) Nelms, Katicia (Darryl) Mitchell, Mary Ligon (Brian Wallace, Sr.) all of Opelika, AL and Sanquetta Meadows (Richard Smith) of Phenix City, AL; six grandchildren, Tarnesha (Justin) Johnson of Opelika, AL, Teshale Smith of Washington, D.C., Sanbriel Meadows, Precious Meadows, Demetraus Walker all of Phenix City, AL and Kyle Ligon of Columbus, GA; three great-grandchildren, Margaret Johnson, Aniyah Johnson and Justin Johnson, Jr.; three sisters, Mary Ligon of Atlanta, GA, Brenda Lewis of Montgomery, AL and Diane Ivery of Columbus, GA; two sisters-in-law, Betty Oliver of Opelika, AL and Belinda Ligon of Auburn, AL; two brothers-in-law, Murphy (Karen) Dinkins of East Chicago, IL and Edward Moss of Auburn, AL; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

- PSALM 23 -

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name’s sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.



- ORDER OF SERVICE -

Processional..... Clergy and Family

Opening Hymn..... Providence Church Choir

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament..... Reverend Chester Levett

New Testament Reverend Alonzo Harris

Prayer of Comfort..... Reverend Patrick Ivery

Musical Selection Gwendolyn Hughley

Words of Expression Demetrious Ligon

Musical Selection Felica Tatum

Eulogy Reverend J.D. Darden

Recessional

