

## Honorary Pallbearers

Shawntavious Poole, Detavious Poole, Darius Davis,  
Emery Graham Jr., and De'Quan Robinson

## Active Pallbearers

Calvin Poole, Gregory Marshall, Ricardo Salisbury,  
Justin Coleman, Terrance Davis, and Kejuan Graham

## Flower Bearers

Nieces

## Acknowledgements

The family wish to extend our sincere thanks for the great kindness shown to our family during our bereavement. The many expressions of sympathy have been a source of comfort and will be remembered with gratitude.

*The Family*

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# *A Celebration of Life*



*Mr. Willie James  
POOLE*

SUNRISE:  
OCTOBER 29, 1965

SUNSET:  
JULY 22, 2025

SUNDAY, AUGUST 03, 2025  
3:30 PM

JOHNSON & SON JOE MOORE MEMORIAL CHAPEL  
184 CRAWFORD STREET NE  
DAWSON, GEORGIA 39842  
, OFFICIATING

# A LIFE REMEMBERED

Mr. Willie James Poole passed away on Tuesday, July 22, 2025. Born on October 29, 1965, in Terrell County, he was the son of the late Rev. George Poole Sr. and Mary Loud Poole-Davis. He accepted Christ at a young age and became a member of First Kiokee Missionary Baptist Church, where he served as an usher under Rev. Harrison. Later, he found a home at Rocky Hill Missionary Baptist Church, serving as a choir member under Pastor James B. Stokes. Willie attended Lee and Dougherty County Schools and Earl C. Clement Job Corps in Morganfield, Kentucky, where he received his G.E.D. and trained as a brick mason. He worked at several jobs, including Container Waste Service, Palmyra Nursing Home, Gillionville Plantation, Muckalee Plantation, and Anderson Roofing Company, until his health declined. Willie was preceded in death by his parents, Rev. George Poole Sr. and Mary Loud Poole-Davis; his mother-in-law, Rosa Stephens; one grandson, Hi'King Bernard White; and eleven siblings.

He leaves behind a legacy of love and devotion, including his loving and devoted wife of fourteen years, Lazando Poole, residing in Albany, GA; two cherished daughters, Tiffany Poole and Sharonda Poole, both making their home in Atlanta, GA; five grandchildren who bring immense joy: Alexandria Poole of Albany, GA, and Kalarryon White, Ji'King White, Ayomide Ogundimu, and Jayden Poole, all residing in Atlanta, GA; seven supportive brothers: John Loud, Charlie Poole and his wife Natalie, Anthony Poole, Gregory Poole and his wife Tina, Roy Poole and his wife Veronica, Kemyjell Poole, all from Albany, GA, and Larry Poole and his wife Kelly, who reside in Atlanta, GA; two caring sisters, Mary Poole and Jacqueline Poole, both from Albany, GA; two devoted brothers-in-law, Richard Salisbury of Albany, GA, and Gregory Wright and his wife Dietrich of Jefferson, GA; one supportive sister-in-law, Danyell Woodson and her husband Harold of Leesburg, GA; and a vast network of loving nephews, nieces, cousins, and friends who will forever remember his warm presence and kind spirit.

1965

# ORDER OF SERVICE

Musical Prelude .....	Johnson & Son
Processional.....	Family & Friends
Closing of Casket.....	Wife & Daughters
Prayer of Comfort.....	Minister
Scripture Readings	
Old Testament .....	Minister
New Testament.....	Minster
Reflections .....	Limited to 3 People .....2 Mins. Please
Solo.....	Emery Graham
Words of Comfort.....	
Acknowledgments .....	Johnson & Son Staff
Committal Ritual.....	
Recessional	



## *Interment:*

First Kiokee Missionary Baptist Cemetery  
121 Kiokee Church Road  
Dawson, GA

## *In Loving Memory*

In the quiet of the night,  
Your laughter still shines bright.  
Though you've journeyed far away,  
In my heart, you'll always stay.  
Memories of love and grace,  
A gentle touch, a warm embrace.  
Though time may pass and seasons change,  
My love for you will never wane.  
In every star that lights the sky,  
I feel your spirit, oh so nigh.  
Forever cherished, forever near,  
In loving memory, you're always here.

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