



## Willie Robinson Jr.

July 4, 1934 - November 25, 2018

The Life of Willie Robinson, Jr.

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his faithful servants, PSALM 116:15

On November 25, 2018, God called home His servant, Willie Robinson, Jr. Born on July 4, 1934 in the Fulton area of Richmond to the late Lucille and Willie Robinson, Sr., he was the second of five children.

Having accepted Christ as his Savior at an early age, Willie became a member of Union Level Baptist Church. Being reared in a close knit community coupled with the teachings of the church, these experiences instilled in him a strong foundation of faith, love and work ethic.

Willie attended the Richmond Public Schools, In his early life, he enjoyed swimming, playing baseball and had the opportunity to coach the Fulton Girls' Softball Team. He was a longtime member of the BelAir Social Club.

In his early adult life, Willie received an opportunity to work for Philip Morris, Inc. Hard work and diligence helped him work his way up to a supervisory position. After 36 years of dedicated service, Willie earned his passage to retirement.

After retirement, Willie found more time to do the things he loved. He was a member of the Richmond Metropolitan Antique Car Club, Richmond Coin Club, and Chester Coin Club. He had a great passion for collecting art, especially African American paintings. He never lost his connection with the community that raised him and often joined his friends in the Fulton "field" to socialize. Willie loved life, and his favorite moments were spent with his special friend of 23 years, Marva Harris.

Willie is preceded in death by his sister, Helen Robinson; and brothers, John and Louis Robinson. Although God has dismissed our loved one from this place to dwell in His house, never will Willie be dismissed from our hearts. He leaves to cherish precious memories his devoted friend, Marva Harris; son, Falando Robinson; three grandchildren;

sister, Mary Ann Robinson; niece, Shenika Williams; Irwin Harris (Tauye) and children: Jahred, Jayden and Janae, who were faithful in loving and caring for Willie; and devoted friends: Brenda Finney, Theodore Holman, Corbin Johnson, Alvin Lester, William Shirod, Jr., Tony Walls, and James Washington; and a host of other family members and friends.

# Cemetery

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**Oakwood Cemetery**  
3101 Nine Mile Road  
Richmond, VA, 23223

# Events

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**NOV 28**   **Viewing**   12:00PM - 08:00PM

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March Funeral Home-Laburnum Ave.  
2110 E. Laburnum Ave., Richmond, VA, US, 23222

**NOV 29**   **Service**   01:00PM

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March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel  
2110 E. Laburnum Ave., Richmond, VA, US, 23222

# Comments

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“ Marva I was truly sadden to hear of Willie’s passing. You and Willie have been my neighbors for many years. I am going to miss our chats in the front of your house or under the carport. We had many laughs. May God give you peace and strength in losing the love of your life. (Willie)

**Sheila F. Brown** - November 28, 2018 at 08:44 PM

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“ Our heartfelt condolences goes to the family of Mr. Willie. Jane Allen and Karen Scott

**Jane Allen** - November 28, 2018 at 07:59 PM

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“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

**March Funeral Homes** - November 26, 2018 at 02:26 PM