



Willie J. "Billy" Pittman

July 26, 1940 - October 27, 2019

Willie James Pittman "Billy" was born on July 26, 1940 in Henry County, Georgia to the late Leroy and Lula Pittman. He was the second born of nine children. On October 27, 2019 he peacefully made his transition from earth to glory.

At an early age he confessed his life to Christ and joined Mt. Olive Baptist Church, where he served faithfully until his illness. He was educated in the Henry County School System and over the course of his life was employed by Atlanta Boat Company (1958-1979) and Piedmont/US Airlines (1979-2002).

In the early 70's, he co-founded Pittman Body Shop with the help of his oldest brother Charlie.

Billy was joined in holy matrimony to Mary Brooks on November 28, 1968 and to this union two sons were born, Enrico Pittman and Toboris Pittman. He was a devoted and loving husband, father and grandfather. His greatest joy and balance were his grandchildren and he loved supporting them in their numerous activities and endeavors. He was their Number One Fan. He also enjoyed spending time with his immediate and extended family, cooking, fishing and gardening. His love for these activities was evident by the many family and friends that benefitted from his delicious barbecue sauce, extra hot peppers and cabbage from his garden that always found itself on the table at

family gatherings.

He was preceded in death by his parents Leroy and Lula Pittman and his sister Eula Mae Ponder.

He leaves to cherish his memories, his loving and devoted wife and best friend of 50 years, Mary Pittman; two children, Enrico Pittman (Shawnte) and Toboris Pittman (Tia); four grandchildren, Janae Pittman, DeVonte Palmore, Toboris "TJ" Pittman and Kaison Pittman; two sisters, Alice Pye and Dorothy Williams (Frank); five brothers, Charlie Pittman (Earnestine), Lorenzo Pittman (Rachel), Homer Pittman (Martha Jane), Robert Pittman and Randolph Pittman; three sisters-in-law, Evelyn Sales, Betty Welch, and Luevail Brooks; two brothers-in-law, Robin Brooks and Gary Brooks (Rosa); his godson, Fernando Davis (Vivian), his longtime fishing partner Earnest Stanley and a host of nieces, nephews and friends.

Previous Events

Viewing

OCT 31. 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM (ET)

W. D. Lemon & Sons Funeral Home - Morrow Chapel
2090 Joy Lake Road
Morrow, GA 30260
(404) 361-4284
info@wdlemonfuneralhome.com

Service

NOV 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Olive Baptist Church
469 Mt. Olive Road
Stockbridge, GA 30281
(770) 957-3308
mtolive@mtolivebcs.org
<http://www.mtolivebcs.org>

Interment

NOV 1 (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Willie J. "Billy" Pittman.*



November 01, 2019 at 07:50 AM



“ *Willy,
You were one of the best friends I ever had, your kindness to me was such a great honor to share.
He once told me "The fish were biting so good you had to hide behind a tree to bait your hook".
May you forever keep catching those fish my "Friend".
God bless you and keep you!
Amen.....JW*

John Golloway - October 31, 2019 at 02:06 PM



“ *The Worriels Family (Savannah & Columbus) purchased the Garden Cross for the family of Willie J. "Billy" Pittman.*



The Worriels Family (Savannah & Columbus) - October 30, 2019 at 02:03 PM

JD

“ Rico and Shawn, we send our condolences to you and the family
Arthur and Joanie (Sugar) Donaldson



Joanie Donaldson - October 29, 2019 at 07:17 PM

RP

“ Raleigh And Shelia Pittman lit a candle in memory of Willie J. "Billy" Pittman



Raleigh and Shelia Pittman - October 29, 2019 at 05:43 PM

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“ The Ola High School Dream Team purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Willie J. "Billy" Pittman.



The Ola High School Dream Team - October 29, 2019 at 01:18 PM