



# Ms. Winnie Louise Williams

SEP 8, 1941 - NOV 30, 2020



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**G**oldsboro - Ms. Winnie L. Williams, 79, passed on Monday, November 30, 2020 at home. The celebration of her life will be held graveside on Sunday, December 6, 2020 at 1:00pm at the Golden Gate Memorial Gardens, 4734 Highway 117 North, Pikeville, NC. There will be a viewing held on Sunday, December 6, 2020 from 11:00am to 12:00 noon at J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home & Cremations, 1701 Wayne Memorial Drive, Goldsboro, NC.

She was born on September 8, 1941 in Wayne County, NC to Thomas Best and Carrie Virginia Armwood Best. She is survived by her sons: James E. Williams Jr. (Debra), Glenn Erick Williams, Michael Wayne Williams (Sylvia) and Rickey Jerome Williams all of Goldsboro, NC; one sister, Nancy Best Holmes of Wayne County, NC; one brother, Silas Best of Wayne County, NC; twelve grandchildren; a host of great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Services of compassionate and distinguished class entrusted to J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home and Cremations of Goldsboro.



# Events

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## Chapel Viewing

**Sunday**, December 6, 2020

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET

**J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home and Cremations, Inc.**

1701 Wayne Memorial Dr., Goldsboro NC 27534



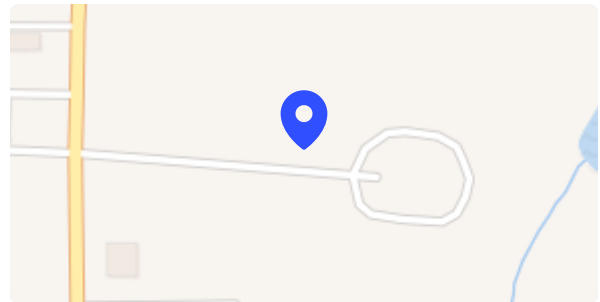
## Celebration of Life

**Sunday**, December 6, 2020

1:00 PM ET

**Golden Gate Memorial Gardens**

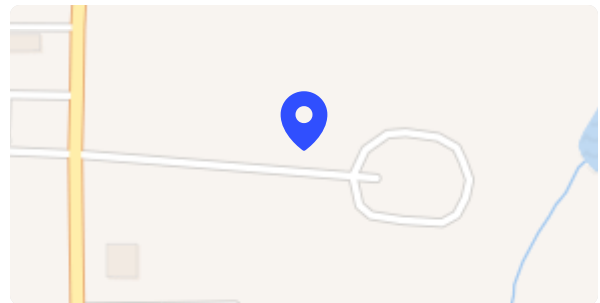
4734 Highway 117 North, Pikeville NC 27863



## Cemetery Details

**Golden Gate Memorial Gardens**

4734 Highway 117 North, Pikeville NC 27863





# Tribute Wall

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**Anita Bryant** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

December 6 at 2:51 PM



**Thomasine Cowan** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

Loving thoughts of such an Awesome Woman of God. Dr. Thomasine M. Cowan

December 6 at 1:18 PM



**Bobbie Coley** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

Ms Winnie you Will be truly missed

December 6 at 6:00 AM



**Julain Edwards** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

December 6 at 5:42 AM



**Dr. Wilma Jones Harris, Phd** posted:

"You'll never be forgotten that simply cannot be. As long as I am living, I'll carry you with me. Safely tucked within my heart your light will always shine; a glowing ember never stilled, throughout the end of time. No matter what the future brings, or what may lie ahead, I know that you will walk with me along the path I tread. So rest my angel, be at peace and let your soul fly free. One day I'll join your glorious flight for all eternity" – Unknown

December 5 at 9:27 PM

**DP** **Dr. Wilma Jones Harris, Phd** December 5 at 9:34 PM  
Dr. Wilma Jones Harris, PhD



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**Freda Beamon Boone** posted:

I will always remember her smile, her soft voice, until she got ready to sing(smile), and her genuine care for others. Our family, and St. James Fremont Church family will miss Ms. Winnie dearly. Praying for the family during this sad time, and in the days ahead...Freda & Robert Boone

December 5 at 8:41 PM



**Leora Sauls Waters** posted:

To: The Williams/Best Family I am sorry to hear of your loss. May God comfort you during your time of bereavement.Sadly submitted,Leora Sauls Waters

December 5 at 6:57 PM



**Terry Grantham** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.



December 5 at 4:57 PM



**Gwyn Best (Donald's Wife)** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.



December 5 at 4:55 PM

**GW Gwyn Best (Donald's Wife)** December 5 at 4:56 PM  
With sympathy, condolences, and love to the family.



**Rea And Bobby Artis** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.



December 5 at 4:53 PM



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**Rea And Bobby Artis** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.



December 5 at 4:50 PM

**RA** **Rea And Bobby Artis** December 5 at 4:52 PM  
Sending love to the sons



**Anita** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

We don't have all the answers to life's decisions and questions. And when something happens that we don't understand, we cherish the things that matter the most which are how deeply we cared. So sorry for your loss. Keeping you close in thought and prayer.Sincerely,Rev. and Mrs. Robert (Anita) Sanders



December 5 at 4:45 PM



**Julain Edwards** sent a virtual gift in honor of Winnie.



December 5 at 2:17 PM



**Billie Hicks-Burris** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.




December 5 at 1:07 PM



**Kim Edmundson Sutton** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.



December 5 at 12:30 PM

**EF** **Edna Batts Ford** December 5 at 3:34 PM  
I know GOD has call another' Angel I will truly miss her with such a sweet heart n Spirit ❤️❤️  




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WS

**Willie Mae Harvey'shehee** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

On behalf of members of The CBA Class of 1974 please accept our sincere condolences on the passing of your loved one. May your memories give you comfort during this difficult time. With Sympathy Willie Mae Harvey'Shehee CBA Class of 1974

December 5 at 12:18 PM



SE

**Sam Exum** posted:

RIP Grandma Winnie.

December 5 at 10:32 AM

CM

**Contentnea Asso. Elder Charlie Barnes Moderator** sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Williams family.

December 5 at 5:10 AM



DL

**Dee Dee Worrells Linton** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

To The Bunch and Williams Family:You have my sincere condolences in the passing of a Beautiful Soul, Mrs. Winnie Williams. Her beauty smile and melodious voice will never be forgotten.

December 4 at 8:53 PM



BJ

**Beatrice Jones** posted:

Winnie's passing will forever leave a void in the lives of the Jones family. She, along with her surviving siblings have been friends to our family for years. She, my mother and my niece (Melody) often held long conversations with each other. I can hear her unique laughs now. My niece thought that there was no one like Ms. Winnie. It was a little more than a year ago that she sang at my mother's homecoming service. It's hard to believe that she has now left us. She will surely be missed. I pray for healing for her sons and for all that were touched by her in some way or another. Beatrice Jones

December 4 at 6:57 PM



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**Edna Royall King** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.



December 4 at 9:12 AM



**Edna Royall King** posted:

So sorry for your loss, praying for your strength

December 4 at 9:11 AM



**Wanda H Kirk** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.



December 3 at 9:49 PM

**WK** **Wanda H Kirk** December 3 at 9:51 PM  
Cousin Winnie R.I. P.



**Evon Graham** sent a virtual gift in honor of Winnie.



December 3 at 5:53 PM



**Theresa English** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.



December 3 at 3:48 PM



**Michael L. Newsome** posted:

May your hearts find peace and tranquility through the healing power of love, hope, and peace, today and always, stay encouraged family. We love and honor Cousin Winne! 🙏

December 3 at 3:35 PM



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**Sheila C Winn** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

The Williams Family, You are in my heart and prayers at this time. Fond memories from growing up in Fairview homes. Sheila Crawford Winn

December 3 at 11:25 AM



**Winnie L Fuller** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

Prayers to the Williams family for the lost of a great mother. Winnie Williams was not only a classmate, but a dear friend. She will be truly missed.

December 3 at 10:51 AM



**Cynthia Broadhurst Jones** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

December 3 at 10:17 AM



**S'vinte Wallace** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

December 3 at 10:11 AM



**Apostle Daniel And Deborah Uzzell** sent a virtual gift in honor of Winnie.

Dock Rock and William Family.....I am sorry to hear of loss of Mrs. Winnie. Treasure your memories and let them comfort you in days, months and years to come. I will continue to keep the family in prayer. Apostle Daniel and Deborah Uzzell

December 3 at 7:22 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Williams family.

December 3 at 6:59 AM





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**Anonymous** sent a Lavender Reflections Spray to the Williams family.



December 3 at 6:46 AM



**Marsha Coley** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

Praying for you family.



December 3 at 5:41 AM



**Stacey Hyatt** posted:

So sad to hear of Ms. Winnies passing. Such a sweet, kind, encouraging woman. She will be missed by all who knew her. Condolences to the family and may the Lord comfort you all.

December 3 at 12:15 AM



**Sandra Artis Kemp** posted:

James, Eric, Mike and Ricky, Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of bereavement. Your mother was a great friend and inspiration to us. We will always love her and remember the good times we shared. Winnie was like family to us and we were blessed by our telephone conversations, attending church and social gatherings with her. We pray the Lord will continue to strengthen and comfort you. Pastor Mildred Artis and Family

December 2 at 10:06 PM



**Cindy Applewhite** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.



December 2 at 8:04 PM

**RC Ronald Coley** December 3 at 4:29 AM

Mama we going to miss you all the conversations we had all the prayers that we had. My brother stay strong in the Lord and in the power of His might. Love Deacon Coley

**CA Cindy Applewhite** December 2 at 8:06 PM

Miss Wendy was a very sweet person she will be truly missed🙏😭



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JL

**Janet Loftin** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

Cuz will truly be missed.

December 2 at 7:31 PM



PD

**Pam W. Dudley** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

December 2 at 5:38 PM



AJ

**Ann Johnson** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

December 2 at 3:09 PM



LR

**Lavern Ruffin** posted:

May God comfort and strengthen you all during this time. Mrs. Winnie, was a sweet lady and she always had a smile when I saw her. She will be missed and her posts of encouragement on Facebook. Rest well Mrs. Winnie in the arms of the Father. To James, Eric, Mike and Rick I'm praying for you... 🙏

December 2 at 9:18 AM

LR

**Lavern Ruffin** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

December 2 at 9:12 AM



DJ

**Donald Hall Sr. (Junior)** sent a virtual gift in honor of Winnie.

December 1 at 9:54 PM





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DJ

**Donald Hall Sr. (Junior)** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

Thoughts and Prayers to the Williams family. She will be truly missed us all.

December 1 at 9:50 PM



BB

**Beverly Best** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

December 1 at 8:41 PM



EH

**Eula Holden** posted:

Will miss cousin Winnie open up the devotion at Norwayne Gospel singing, thoughts and prayers are with the family.

December 1 at 4:38 PM

CD

**Cynthia Dickerson** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

December 1 at 4:27 PM



NW

**Nicky Watson** posted:

Fellow, Eric, Mike, and Ricky, Aunt Dad was such an Angel to so many and she blessed everyone that she came in contact with. She loved you all so much. She will truly be missed. God has gained another Angel and we will see her again one day. Just know that you all treated your mom with so much love and care and carry that with you always. She will forever be in your heart and will be with you forever and always. Love you all, Cousin Nicky Watson and family

December 1 at 2:47 PM



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**Linda Reese** posted:

Fellow, Eric, Mike and Ricky, Trust in the Lord with all thine heart, and lean not unto thine own understanding, but in all thy ways, acknowledge Him and He shall direct your path. Your mom was so humbled and proud of her boys taking care of her. Let it be well with your soul and be at peace. God needed another Angel for his Heavenly Choir and He chose your mom. She was my aunt, prayer partner, friend, sister in Christ, and another Mom. I will forever cherish the times that we had together, especially the last talk that we had on last Sunday, which ended in us praising and glorifying God, which she loved to do. Always remember, love never dies. Love and Prayers, Cousin Linda Reese

December 1 at 2:37 PM



**William & Cynthia Hines Whitley** posted:

A golden voice and a beautiful woman will be missed by many. I can hear you singing now. Take your rest!

December 1 at 1:29 PM



**Eldress Carolyn Daniels-Ward** sent a virtual gift in honor of Winnie.

She was such a sweet woman of God and she will be missed. I loved the way she always encouraged everybody.

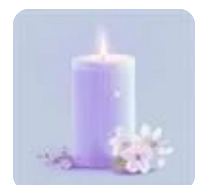
December 1 at 10:03 AM



**Thomasena Thompson** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

To God be the glory! Glory glory....Ms Winnie's favorite words. I am speechless. But God He knows it all. I send my condolences to the family. Ms Winne was a true God warrior and a good listener. Pray with you and laugh with you that was Ms Winnie. I know Ms Winnie is happier than ever now. God held His arms out and welcome Ms Winnie home. Thank you Jesus! 🙏😊👤

December 1 at 9:29 AM



**Sweetlips** lit a candle in honor of Winnie.

December 1 at 2:24 AM





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**Anonymous** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Williams family.



December 1 at 2:20 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Winnie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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