

Obituary

Mrs. Rosa Lee Samuel Williamson was born on July 3, 1946, in Darlington, South Carolina. She was the youngest daughter of the late Frank Samuel and Viola Samuel. She departed this life on Saturday, April 9, 2022.

Mrs. Williamson was educated in the public schools of Darlington County, South Carolina and graduated from Mayo High School, class of 1964. She married the love of her life, Charles H. Williamson. They were married for 49 years, and 20 of those years, they traveled the world thanks to the United States Army. She had two daughters that she adored and poured all her love into. After her husband's retirement from the Army, they made Columbia, South Carolina their home. She shared her love of people everywhere she went, everyone she touched; she left a part of her beautiful spirit.

Mrs. Williamson was a faithful member of Wesley United Methodist Church, in Columbia, South Carolina. She also enjoyed supporting her grandchildren and playing with her great-granddaughter.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles H. Williamson; parents, Frank and Viola Samuel; brother, Roosevelt (Buster) Samuel; and sister, Laura Lighty.

Mrs. Rosa Lee Williamson leaves to mourn her passing: two daughters, Christel (Edward) Wilson of Columbia, South Carolina and Qunetria (Randy) Ball, of Grovetown, Georgia; brother, Frank (Estelle) Samuel, Jr., of York, Pennsylvania; sister, Lillie Mae Bynum, of Darlington, South Carolina; sisters-in-law, Elizabeth Betty Bland, Margaret Clapton, and Julia Williamson; brother-in-law, James (Lillie Mae Williamson); four grandchildren; one great-grandchild, a host of nieces; nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, many other loving relatives, and caring friends, all of whom will miss her dearly.

Memories



Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Viewing.....Funeral Directors

Opening Hymn

Old Testament.....Reverend Otis Scott

New Testament.....Reverend Otis Scott

Prayer.....Reverend Tiffany Knowlin-Boykin

Solo.....Ms. Jennifer Richmond
"Just Want to Praise You"

Remarks.....Reverend Edward Wilson, *Son-in-law*
Mrs. Catherine Jackson Smith, *Auxiliary Chaplin*
Gandy-Griffin VFW Post 4262

Acknowledgements

Selection.....Mr. Clarence Cart
"Love Lifted Me"

Words of Comfort.....Reverend Tiffany Knowlin-Boykin

Recessional

Postlude



Committal, Benediction and Interment

2:00 p.m.
Fort Jackson National Cemetery
4170 Percival Road
Columbia, South Carolina

I'm Free

By: Shannon Lee Moseley

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free.
I'm following the path God has chosen for me.
I took His hand when I heard Him call;
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day,
to laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way;
I've found now peace at the end of the day.*

*If my parting has left a void,
then fill it with remembered joys.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss;
Oh yes, these things, I too will I miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
look for the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much;
good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seems all too brief;
don't lengthen your time with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and peace to thee,
God wanted me now – He set me free.*

Pallbearers

VFW Post 4262 Comrades

Floral Bearers

VFW Post 4246 Auxiliary

Acknowledgement

Thank you to everyone who has supported our family during this time. We would like to especially thank the VFW Post 4262, Leevy's Funeral Home for the special care they took with our mother, and her church family. Lastly, to Ms. Sarah Lowman who was our mom's best friend. Ms. Sarah we will forever love you for being there for our mother after our father's death, you have supported Mom in a way we could not. Thank you!

Services Entrusted To:

Taylor Street Chapel 1831 Taylor Street Columbia, SC 29201 (803)771-7799 I. S. Leevy Johnson -Owner & Director-	Leevy's FUNERAL HOME Chris Leevy Johnson -President & Managing Director-	Lower Richland Chapel 9120 Garners Ferry Road Hopkins, SC 29061 (803) 776-6922 Leverette A. Williams, II -General Manager-
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Home Going Service Celebrating the Life of

MRS. ROSA LEE SAMUEL WILLIAMSON



**FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 2022
12:00 NOON**

**WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
1725 GERVAIS STREET
COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA**

**REVEREND TIFFANY KNOWLIN-BOYKIN
-PASTOR-**