

A Happy Man

*When these graven lines you see,
Traveler, do not pity me;
Though I be among the dead,
Let no mournful word be said.*

*Children that I leave behind,
And their children, all were kind;
Near to them and to my wife,
I was happy all my life.*

*My three sons I married right,
And their sons I rocked at night;
Death nor sorrow never brought
Cause for one unhappy thought.*

*Now, and with no need of tears,
Here they leave me, full of years, --
Leave me to my quiet rest
In the region of the blest.*

Author: Edwin Arlington Robinson

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Floral Bearers

Family and Friends

Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mr. Willie Lee Kelly, wish to thank you for the many loving and wonderful acts of kindness rendered to us, during the passing of our loved one. May God bless each of you with His grace and mercy.

Services Entrusted To:

Taylor Street Chapel
1831 Taylor Street
Columbia, SC 29201
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-Owner & Director-

Leevy's

FUNERAL HOME

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9120 Garners Ferry Road
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-General Manager-

In Loving Memory of Mr. Willie Lee Kelly



"Pa Pa"

Friday, July 29, 2022

3:00 p.m.

Leevy's Funeral Home Chapel

1831 Taylor Street

Columbia, South Carolina

Reverend Rickey J. Fruster

- Officiating -

Obituary

Mr. Willie **PaPa** Lee Kelly was born on December 5, 1954, in Columbia, South Carolina. He was the son of the late James Abe Kelly and Maybell Goodwin Kelly. He departed this life on Sunday, July 24, 2022.

Mr. Kelly was educated in the public schools of Richland County, South Carolina. He retired after several years as an automobile mechanic.

Willie Lee was baptized at an early age, and was a member of Kingdom Reapers Ministry.

Mr. Kelly truly loved the Lord, and always spoke about Jesus. He loved and respected all of his neighbors and they loved him in return. When they were in need, he would do anything to help out. He was like the neighborhood counselor; whenever the people had concerns, they would seek his advice.

He was preceded in death by: his father and mother; a daughter, Erica Charles; sisters, Evangelist Bessie Mae Anderson and Rosa Lee Golson; brothers, Cleveland Kelly, James Kelly, and Leroy Kelly; aunts, Mary Helen Nesmith and Betty Carroll; and uncles, Johnny Goodwin, Willie Joe Goodwin, and CJ Goodwin.

Mr. Willie **PaPa** Lee Kelly leaves to mourn his passing: his devoted wife, Sabrina L. Kelly; siblings, Linda Coleman, Abbie (Reverend Dr. Tim) Dicks, Bruce (Judy) Kelly; a host of loving sons and daughters, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, in-laws, and friends, all of whom will miss him dearly.

Memories



A Service of Remembrance

- Prelude..... Mr. Fabian Allen
- Processional
- Viewing Funeral Directors
- Opening Selection
- Scriptures..... Mr. James Murray
- Prayer Reverend Dr. Timothy Dicks
- Solo..... Mr. Lee Bowen
- Remarks..... Mr. Guy Johnson
Mr. John Gantt, Jr.
- Solo..... Mr. Lee Bowen
- Words of Comfort Reverend Rickey J. Fruster
Pastor Kingdom Reapers Ministry
- Recessional
- Postlude



Committal, Benediction and Interment

Lincoln Cemetery
4900 Farrow Road
Columbia, South Carolina