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Kendrell Willis
Eric Clark
Khorderrius Tommie

Sh'Qual White
Chris Willis
Travin Willis
Leroy Willis, Jr.



In Appreciation

We acknowledge with grateful appreciation, all acts of kindness rendered to us during the passing of our beloved. The many telephone calls, prayers, floral offerings, cards of condolence, and other sympathetic gestures are deeply appreciated. May God bless and keep each of you.

The Sarah Lee Jordan Willis Family

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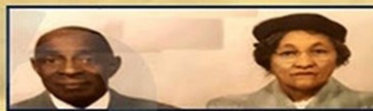
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The Obituary

Sarah Lee Jordan Willis better known as “Sweet” was a beacon of joy, faith, and unconditional love whose vibrant spirit touched everyone blessed to know her. Born on August 2, 1942, in Sumter County, Georgia, she was the beloved daughter of the late Luther Bell Jordan, Jr. and Rosa Lee Reese Jordan. Sarah received her education at the Nunn Industrial Public School of Sumter County, laying the foundation for a life defined by hard work, community, and service.

From an early age, Sarah cultivated a deep, abiding faith. She dedicated her life to Christ and became a devoted member of Oak Grove Baptist Church, where her rich voice lifted the congregation for many years as a faithful member of the choir. Her servant’s heart was also felt on the Kitchen Committee, where she combined her gift of hospitality with fellowship.

Sarah spent many fulfilling years working as a caregiver and housekeeper, bringing warmth, dignity, and meticulous care to every home she entered. Her days were filled with simple, beautiful pleasures. She found true delight in reading her Bible, tending to her vibrant flower garden, solving puzzles, singing, dancing, and cooking soul-stirring meals for those she loved. Above all, her greatest earthly joy was her family, cherishing every moment surrounded by the laughter of her children and grandchildren.

On August 11, 2026, Sarah peacefully transitioned from labor to reward at her home. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Leroy Willis, Sr.; her parents; two sisters, Jessie Mae Jordan and Viola Floyd; and three brothers, Henry Jordan, Tommie Jordan, and L. C. Jordan.

Her precious memory will forever be cherished by her loving children: Kenneth Willis (Heather) of Atlanta, Georgia; Darlene Willis and Reatha Willis, both of Americus, Georgia; Amanda Willis of Orlando, Florida; and Leroy Willis, Jr. of Americus, Georgia; her twelve grandchildren: Kendrell Willis, LaTeskia Clark, Shantrice Clark, Brittney Willis-Edward (Bakari), Shantavier Willis, Eric Clark, Jr., Xavier Willis, Oneisha Willis, Jalesa Coley, Travin Willis (Tahjah), Christopher Willis, and Kaitlyn Willis; twelve great-grandchildren: De’Asia Williams, Anthony Tramel, Leyana Gaskins, Samiya Borders, Niviah Aikens, Are’ana Edwards, Marcus Willis, Travin Willis, Jr., Tyler Willis, Nova Leonard, Aziza Clark, and Travayah Willis; eight god-grandchildren: Chiquita Coley, Alexeus Mercer, Sh’Qual White, Tykeria O’neil, Tyonna O’neil, Caden Jordan, Zaiden Gipson, and Journee Mercer; her sisters-in-law, Maggie Willis and Luera Jordan-Boone; along with a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, extended family members, and countless sorrowing friends.



Our Grandma, Our Mother, Our Guiding Angel

*Today we gather with heavy hearts trying to find the words to say goodbye
To a woman who meant so much to us our Grandma, our mother.
Our family’s heart and our guiding light.*

*Grandma, Mother, you were more than just a grandmother.
You were a mother, a protector, a counselor, a safe place
When we needed someone to talk to,
And a loving heart that always made room for us.
You shared your stories, your wisdom, your laughter,
Your love, and your prayers. You gave us memories that time can never erase.
So many little moments we never knew would become
Some of the memories we would hold onto forever.*

*We still think about your voice, we still expect the phone to ring
We still wish we could call you and tell you about our day.
Hear what you have to say or simply heart say,
“I’ll be ready when you get here.”*

*Grandma, you fought so hard you held on through so much,
And we prayed, we hoped and we believed you would stay.*

*No more sickness; No more pain; No more struggling.
You have taken your wings, but your love will forever remain.*

Fly high Grandma – Your work here is done.

Written by
La’Teskia
Your Granddaughter

The Order of Service

Saturday | August 22, 2026 | 11:00 AM

New Corinth Baptist Church

1178 Hooks Mill Road | Leslie, Georgia

Reverend Carl Smith | Pastor
Reverend Willie Gene Grover | Officiant

Musical Prelude
Brother Leonard Tyson

Processional
Led by Clergy

The Final Viewing
The Final Sealing of the Batesville Carnation Blush Casket

Hymn
Deacon Johnny Griffin

Prayer
Reverend Anthony Walker

Old Testament Scripture
Reverend Sterling Vereen

New Testament Scripture
Apostle Norbert Ingram

Musical Selection
Sister Dorothy McCray

Reflections
Family and Friends
(Limit Two Minutes Each)

Musical Selection
Sister Dorothy McCray

Eulogy
Reverend Willie Gene Grover

**Acknowledgements, Heirloom Bible
and Memorial Blanket Presentation**
J. W. Williams Funeral Home Staff

Recessional & Postlude

The Committal Service

New Corinth Church Cemetery

The service may be viewed on the
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or the
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