



*A Celebration of Life*

FOR  
*Mother*

*Gladys W. Olige*



Sunrise: February 15, 1931 – Sunset: February 21, 2026

**SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2026**  
**TWO O’CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON**

*Tillman of Tallahassee Chapel*  
4006 CRAWFORDVILLE ROAD \* TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32305

*Overseer Ivory Guyton, Jr., Officiant*  
SENIOR PASTOR, KINGDOM TRAINING CENTER  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

*Honorary Pallbearers*  
Grandsons

*Honorary Floral Bearers*  
Janice “Niecey” Barcus

*Active Floral Bearers*  
Family & Friends

*Repast*

Early’s Kitchen  
1458 South Monroe Street \* Tallahassee, Florida 32301

*The Family’s Message of Appreciation*

We are indeed grateful to each of you, our many friends, for your countless acts of compassion, which you have so generously shared with us during the passing of our beloved, *Gladys W. Olige*. We express our most sincere gratitude for your prayers, condolences and every act of kindness shared with us during our loss. Your love and support will always be cherished. We pray that God will continue to bless and keep each of you in His care.

*Services Entrusted To:*



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Tillman...Making A Difference Since 1931

*A Tribute to My Mother*  
**\*\*Still Your Baby\*\***

Mama, we were always close —  
More than words could ever say.  
Not just mother and daughter,  
But best friends along the way.

I was there to hold your hand,  
Just like you once held mine.  
Loving you through every moment,  
Right up to heaven’s time.

Though my heart feels heavy now,  
I smile because I know it’s true —  
I was blessed to be your baby,  
And even more blessed to belong to you.

Forever your baby,  
*Niecey*



## Reflections of Life

**Gladys W. Olige** was born on February 15, 1931, in Monroeville, Alabama, to Andrew and Mattie Williams. At a very young age, she moved to Pensacola, Florida, and enjoyed it so much that she remained there throughout her life.

At the age of 12, **Gladys** was baptized and accepted Christ at Trinity Missionary in Pensacola, beginning a lifelong journey of faith.

**Gladys** trained and worked as a dedicated Medical Assistant for Dr. Sunday in Pensacola for many years. She later married the love of her life, Leslie Lamar Olige, and together they built a family rooted in love and resilience.

**Gladys** loved attending church services, and she was known for her beautiful church hats and flair for fashion. After Sunday services, she especially enjoyed fellowship at Piccadilly Restaurant with her dear friend, Letha and her niece, Sue. Known for her warm heart, nurturing spirit, calm demeanor, and wonderful sense of humor, **Gladys** was truly a mother figure to many. She was especially proud of being named Ms. Trinity in 1997 — an honor that reflected the love and respect her church family had for her.

**Gladys's** legacy of faith, love, and grace will live on in all who were blessed to know her. She leaves to cherish precious memory, her **devoted daughter**: Janice “Niecy” (Edwin) Barcus; **grandchildren**: James Jr., Frederick Jr., Cedrick, Nikki, Tabitha, Alex, Shawanda, Alexa, and Talia; **special nieces**: Sue, Pensacola, FL, Ella, Cleveland, OH, and Sandra of Detroit, MI; and a host of other nieces and nephews who loved her dearly and knew her as an aunt, friend, and mother figure.

**Gladys** was preceded in death by her husband: Leslie Lamar Olige; children: George, Leslie (Shirley Olige), and Sandra (James, Sr.) Knight; grandson: Leslie, Jr.; parents; and siblings: Aubrey, Betsy, Bertie Mae, Albert, Edna C., Daisy, Tom, Marguerite, Grady, and Vodie.



## Forever In Our Hearts



## The Order of Service

Prelude.....*Tillman* Musician

Processional..... Officiant, Clergy & Family

The Parting Glance & Seating of Family..... The *Tillman* Staff

Opening Selection .....*Tillman* Musician

Prayer ..... Overseer Ivery Guyton, Jr.

### *Scripture Readings:*

Old Testament ..... Pastor Irish Guyton

New Testament..... Overseer Ivery Guyton, Jr.

Solo..... Sister Jessie Hayes Gaston

Resolutions & Acknowledgements..... The *Tillman* Staff

Selection.....*Tillman* Musician

*Eulogy*..... Overseer Ivery Guyton, Jr.

Recessional..... Clergy, Family & Friends

