



Thomas Raleigh Williams Sr.

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Thomas Raleigh Williams, Sr., 75, of Chattanooga, Tennessee, passed away peacefully and surrounded by family, December 29, 2022, at his home. He was born to the late Rufus Andrew Williams, Sr. and the late Ruth Henrietta (Jones) Williams on October 20, 1947. Thomas was a graduate of Riverside High School and retired from Southern Management and Memorial Hospital. He was a pristine dresser and the center of attention. Thomas was always creating numerous lifelong friendships and never ever meeting a stranger. His boisterous laugh, quick-wit, and larger than life personality will be missed. He leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Georgia Ruth Shackelford Williams; sons, Thomas (Lisa) Williams, Jr., Corey (Donetha) Puckett, Vincent Williams, Montrail Shackelford, and Montez Shackelford; daughters, Shemika Shackelford and Markeita Williams; grandchildren, Saige McCauley, Shiloh McCauley, Carmen Puckett, Courtney Puckett, Makia Puckett, Najja Puckett, Laquisha Williams, Victoria Williams, Dominique Williams, Demetria Williams, Tyree Willaims, Thomasa Williams, and Tia Williams; 20 great-grandchildren; brothers, Rufus (Brenda) Williams, Jr., Homer (Linda) Williams, Cyrus (Sharon) Williams, and Cedric (Darlene) Williams, Sr.; sisters, Rosalind Ludy and Crystal Mines; sisters-in-law, Patricia (Herbert) Shackelford-Gray and Marlene Marsh; special friends, Anthony Cunningham, Diane Harmon, Eddie Vick, Gregory Hardy, Harold Harden, Johnnie Williams, Rachel Lindsey, and Willie Norman; a host of nieces; nephews; cousins; other relatives and friend. Brother John R. Taylor, Sr. will be giving words of comfort.




Events


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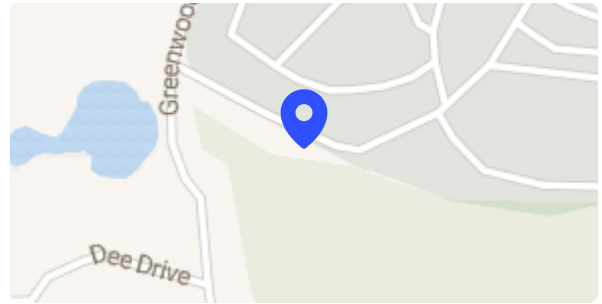
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Graveside Service


 **Friday**, January 6, 2023

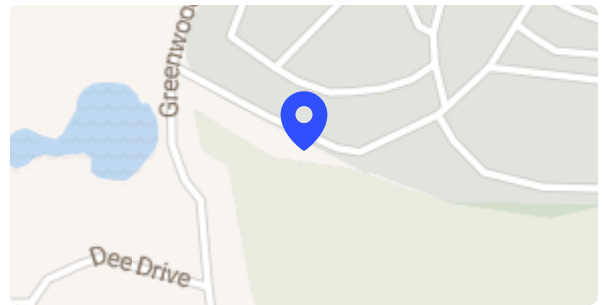
 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM ET

 **Greenwood Cemetery**
1954 Greenwood Road, Chattanooga TN 37406



Cemetery Details

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Tribute Wall

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DF

Diane Ellison & Family lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

January 13 at 5:24 AM



TP

Tasha Parks lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

Sending my condolences love ya

January 12 at 5:07 PM



CB

Comm.Greg And Pat Beck lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

January 9 at 2:01 PM



FW

Faye J. Williams posted:

Our deepest condolences.Faye J. Williams and Family

January 6 at 9:22 AM

HS

Hampton * Sledge Siblings lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

Our Condolences and Prayers Sledge - Hampton Siblings. Avondale C. O. C.

January 6 at 7:10 AM



MB

Maxie Benton lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

January 5 at 5:21 PM



MB

Maxie Benton January 5 at 5:22 PM

Sorry to hear about the passing of your Brother. May the Lord bless the family and keep you in His as you go through this difficult time. Praying for the Family.



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Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Williams family.

January 5 at 11:34 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Williams family.

January 5 at 10:02 AM



Joyce Fears lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

January 5 at 9:53 AM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Williams family.

January 5 at 9:51 AM



Van & Regina Hickman lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

Please accept our warm regards, deep sympathy, and most sincere condolences. Van & Regina Hickman

January 5 at 7:26 AM



Anonymous sent a Meat & Cheese Wooden Gift Crate to the Williams family.

January 5 at 6:58 AM





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GM

Glinda M. lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

It is with my heart-felt condolences to the Williams Family for the passing of your loved one. I am sorry for your loss. May the family be lifted up by the joyous, happy memories that will forever be with you, for they will never pass away. I didn't know your father, Tootie, however, I saw a picture of him. You are true image of him. It is a beautiful thing when father and sons are always supportive to the end of life on this earth. Keeping the William Family in prayer. Your neighbor, Glinda M.



January 5 at 6:12 AM

KR

Kookie Rollins lit a candle in honor of Thomas.



January 5 at 3:27 AM

LW

Larry Williams posted:

Condolences From Uncle Gus crew, we love you all. May you Rest In Peace.

January 4 at 3:59 PM

VB

Vincinetta Patton Brown posted:

May peace and comfort be with you in the days ahead. God bless.

January 4 at 12:04 PM

VB

Vincinetta Patton Brown lit a candle in honor of Thomas.



January 4 at 12:03 PM



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Pluto Cashkid posted:

please call me or snoop dogg or wiz khalifa 4235350637 that was my uncle Williams #NFT NFTkid and Ethereum produce owner Sean Andrew Rivers this funeral is on BET and we have to play from the cradle to the grave n let dealers n bangers come and we can where what we want but we will most def make this a BLOOD EVENT on Death Row and thug life pray for and free his NFTkid Jeffery Williams on rico charges so he can see his uncle be buried. Someone send the judge a letter to have some ETH respect for marriage at my UNC funeral cuz.

January 3 at 10:46 AM



Pluto Cashkid posted:

love u 4l 214l savage

January 3 at 10:38 AM



Valerie Bullard lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

My cousin Thomas was one of the funniest person I knew. When he entered our home he brought us 🙌 SO MUCH LAUGHTER 😂😂😂!!! He should have been featured on stage at the "Comedy Catch". I Will always ❤️ and remember you for that CUZ!! (If he came with his brother Homer it was like icing on the cake!!! 😭❤️U Both for that gift 🙌 "LAUGHTER" 😂😂😂 !!! I know my mother is so happy to see him because I know he got Her and Heaven cracking up 😂😂😂!!!



January 3 at 1:56 AM



Dominique Blackburn lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

My prayers and condolences go out to Thomas, Chas, Chey, Tia, DaKoda, DayTona, Mahogany & Penelope Williams as you mourn your Father, Grandfather, and Great-Grandfather. May you all experience comfort and a peace that surpasses all understanding during this time.



January 2 at 6:23 PM



Sherine L Jennings lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

My Condolences To The Williams's Family



January 2 at 5:18 AM



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ME

Marcella Eberhart posted:

My deepest condolence and prayers to The Williams Family 🙏🙏

December 31 at 10:35 AM

CH

Cleopatra Herkley posted:

Our Condolences to Family of Thomas Williams from the Chavis Family

December 31 at 10:19 AM

DW

Diana Chavis Williams posted:

My condolences to the Thomas Williams family he is the father of my nephew Thomas Williams Jr he was a part of the Chavis family for many years may he Rest In Heaven!! ❤️❤️

December 31 at 10:14 AM

DP

Dorathella Phelps lit a candle in honor of Thomas.



December 31 at 4:48 AM

DW

Dechante Williams lit a candle in honor of Thomas.

OUR CONDOLENCES TO MOMA JOYCE&FAMILY FROM COURTNEY CHAS CHEY TIADAKOTA DAYTONA MAHONEY &PENELOPE WILLIAMS RIP 🙏😊🙏



December 31 at 4:06 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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