



Mr. Willie Harris Jr.

March 8, 1927 - January 6, 2016

Mr. Harris was born on March 8, 1927, the son of Mary Ann Earls Harris and Willie Harris, Sr. in Bolivar County, MS He was retired from Caterpillar as a millwright. Willie was member of New Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church in Peoria, IL. where he lived until Sept. 2015. He enjoyed playing Bingo, gardening and helping people.

Willie was preceded in death by his parents, sisters: Annette Harris, Bertha Brown, Lillie Toney, Rosa Lee Sims; brothers: Richard Harris, Sr., Curtis Harris, Eddie Harris, Earl Harris, David Harris, Henry Harris, Joe Lewis, L.C. Lewis, Patrick Harris.

He leaves to cherish his memories: a son: Rydale Gipson; two grandchildren: LaSheatha Gipson, Cantrell Gipson; four brothers: Freddie Harris and wife Rebecca, James Harris and wife Olivia, Johnny Harris and wife Betty and Ricky Harris; three sisters: Phyllis Felder and husband Huiett, Earline Fowler and husband William, and Magnolia Lewis; special friends: Eddie Jackson, Herman Wade, Ida Davis and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

Online condolences may be sent to www.westgatefh.com

Cemetery Details

Sunset View Memorial Park Cemetery

1617 Martin Luther King Jr Road
Natchez, MS 39120

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

West Gate Funeral Home (Natchez)
409 N Martin Luther King Jr Street
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Funeral Service

JAN 16. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Willie Harris Jr.*

September 17, 2022 at 03:10 AM



“ *Uncle Will was a man that everyone loved. I am glad I had a chance to talk with him. I am going to miss him calling me that Lil gal and you johnny ' s daughter. I love you and will always keep you close to my heart. Love your niece Octavia Harris Lovings*

Octavia Harris Lovings - January 16, 2016 at 08:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Willie Harris Jr..*



January 15, 2016 at 10:38 PM



“ *Mr. Will had such a beautiful spirit! He loved people and enjoyed talking to everyone. He always had a story to tell. He loved his church family. Rest in Heaven Mr. Will!!!!!!
Dr. Beverly Johnson Thomas*



Beverly - January 15, 2016 at 08:51 AM

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Will was a very close and supportive friends of mine my husband Mr. Monroe Neal, Sr and my children. He was proud of the accomplishments of Monroe Neal Jr. And his military service. He shared graduations birthdays and family funerals. Will was a dependable unique individual. I met his sisters and his brother Henry. My friendship with Will began in 1972. He was like one of my family

Joanna Neal - January 15, 2016 at 01:05 PM

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“ I did not know him well as some, but to say that he was family my condolences

Terry Hunter - January 14, 2016 at 05:31 PM

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“ EDDIE JACKSON purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mr. Willie Harris Jr..



EDDIE JACKSON - January 14, 2016 at 04:03 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Willie Harris Jr..



January 13, 2016 at 11:12 PM

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“ *West Gate Funeral Home and staff extends our deepest sympathy to your family. May the memories that you've shared with your loved one be a comfort to you at this time. Continue to hold to God's unchanging hands.*

West Gate Funeral Home - January 12, 2016 at 08:08 PM

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“ *West Gate Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Mr. Willie Harris Jr.*



West Gate Funeral Home - January 12, 2016 at 08:07 PM