



## Willie Linwood Harris

September 28, 1956 - February 2, 2023

### WILLIE L. HARRIS

passed away suddenly at his home in Richmond, VA on February 2, 2023. He was born on September 28, 1956, in Richmond, VA.

Willie was known as a musician, as he began piano instruction at the age of 12 and began playing for church services at a young age. He matriculated through Richmond Public schools, graduating from John Marshall High School. He received a degree in Music Education from Virginia Union University. Using his musical talent, Willie taught Choral Performance in local school systems, and held positions as Minister of Music, Choral Director, and Vocalist at many churches throughout Richmond, and surrounding cities and counties.

Willie loved children, and was involved in the lives of his grandchildren and godsons. He was known for his gifted talent as a seamster and plantsman. Willie took great pride in his houseplants which he maintained throughout the years. He was friendly and could converse with people from all aspects of life.

Willie was preceded in death by his father, Maury P. Harris, Sr.; sister, Ethel Dillard; and son, Jaquan Harris, Sr.

He leaves to cherish, his wife of 37 years, Alyse Jeter-Harris; sons, Javar and

Jaret Harris; mother, Elsie Roberts; brother, Maury P. Harris Jr, (Carrie); four grandchildren, Azarial1, Jaquan Jr., Amaria, and Javarius, all of Richmond; sister-in-law, Diane Harris from Ohio; nieces, nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends.

WILLIE L. HARRIS IS NOW OUR BELOVED ANCESTOR.

## Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Funeral Service

FEB 11. 10:00 AM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel  
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.  
Richmond, VA 23222

# Tribute Wall



“ *March Funeral Homes created a To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Willie Linwood Harris, Please Click the Link below. in memory of Willie Linwood Harris*



March Funeral Homes - February 06, 2023 at 12:06 PM

LF

*My deepest condolences to the family. 🙏  
Linda Fleming*

Linda Fleming - February 11, 2023 at 10:40 AM

RE

“ *Sincere Condolences to the Family of Willie Harris. He was such a delight during his years of ministry at Triumphant Baptist Church. His love & his smiles will not be forgotten. Lovingly sent, Rev. Roslyn Anderson & Family. Amen*

revroz22@gmail.com - February 10, 2023 at 12:09 PM

RR

*You were a dear friend and you will truly be missed my condolences to the Harris family may God be with you in this time*

Rhett Render - February 17, 2023 at 04:04 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Willie Linwood Harris.*



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February 10, 2023 at 10:12 AM



“ *The Blessed Blackness Band. purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Willie Linwood Harris.*



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**The Blessed Blackness Band.** - February 09, 2023 at 11:26 PM



“ *Heartfelt condolences to the Family of Willie Linwood Harris. May God continue to bless each of you during this time of bereavement. Constance Hooker and Family*

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**Constance C Hooker** - February 07, 2023 at 12:35 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Willie Linwood Harris.*



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February 06, 2023 at 04:26 PM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

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**March Funeral Homes** - February 06, 2023 at 12:06 PM

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*My condolences to the Family. Just hold on to God's unchanging hand; He got you. God Bless You.*

*Patricia Brooks Robinson*

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**Patricia B Robinson** - February 07, 2023 at 09:26 PM

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*My heartfelt condolences to the family. Mr. Harris taught the choir at Upward Bound at Virginia Union University. We would put on big concerts each summer and he would stretch to sing gospel, jazz, and contemporary music. He also taught us how to perform. His memories will forever live on in my heart and in my love for the Arts. May God bless and keep you always. - Rev. Shamara Haynes, (Upward Bound c/o 99')*

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**Shamara Haynes** - February 09, 2023 at 04:10 PM