



Delphia Johnson Williams

December 18, 1924 - October 23, 2022

Delphia Mae Johnson Williams, age 97, of Jacksonville, FL, formerly of Springfield, TN, passed away Sunday, October 23, 2022. A graveside service will be conducted at 11am Saturday, October 29, 2022 in the mausoleum chapel of Springfield Memorial Gardens with Brother Sam Andavazo officiating.

Mrs. Williams was born December 18, 1924 in Barren Plains, TN to the late Albert and Floy Gainous Johnson and was raised on the family farm. She started her career at the Bell System and then went on to be a successful Real Estate Agent in Florida. Mrs. Williams raised her family in Hollywood, FL and was an active member of Hollywood Hills United Methodist Church, and enjoyed her role as a Sunday School teacher. She loved spending time with family in Atlanta and Springfield and enjoyed traveling, reading the newspaper, and watching sports.

Delphia was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, aunt, and a true friend to all who knew her. Delphia was known for her love of family and her kindness and generosity toward children, grandchildren, extended family and friends throughout her life. She will be greatly missed by all.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Williams was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Miller Williams Sr.; brothers, Ammon Johnson and William

Albert Johnson; and sister, Mable Johnson Heatherly.

She is survived by a son, Edward Miller (Carolyn) Williams Jr.; daughter, Leah Williams Tobin; grandchildren, John Miller Williams, Paige Meeks Williams, Alyssa Ann Tobin and Britney Ann Tobin; son-in-law, Patrick Tobin; and sisters, Irene Palmer and Lorene Dean.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial donations be made to Barren Plains Baptist Church, 4507 Corbin Sneed Road, Springfield, TN 37172, (615) 384-6072.

Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield is in charge of these arrangements.

AUSTIN & BELL FUNERAL HOME-
509 WALNUT STREET, SPRINGFIELD, TN (615) 384-1000

Cemetery Details

Springfield Memorial Gardens Mausoleum

Memorial Blvd
Springfield, TN 37172

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT **29**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Memorial Blvd
Springfield, TN 37172

Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Delphia Johnson Williams.*



October 30, 2022 at 05:05 PM



“ *As we recall on our memories of Del, we cast our minds back to when we first experienced the "Southern" hospitality she so represented.*



My wife Chris and myself first met Del and her husband through their son Miller who I previously met whilst on a rugby tour of the UK. Miller being the generous guy he is, invited us to visit his family in the US, which we did as a family in 1987. Dell was the most welcoming and overwhelmingly generous person anyone could wish to meet. Her & her husband Ed took us under their wings and ensured we experienced and enjoyed everything that is great about America. We experienced their hospitality many time in the years that followed.

She was a great matriarch to all her family and dearly loved by one and all. As a family on this side of the Ocean, we would like to consider ourselves as part of an extended family who will always remember the energy and warm smiling human being that was Delphia Williams.

Rest in Peace lovely lady.

Love Alan & Christine Poore

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South Wales, UK.

Alan & Christine Poore - October 27, 2022 at 12:11 PM

LT

Thank you so much Alan and Chris. It is nice that we have an extended family all the way in Wales. Much love, Leah

Leah Tobin - November 02, 2022 at 11:48 PM



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October 27, 2022 at 08:40 AM

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“ *Prayers for the family. So sorry for your loss.*
Linda Binkley



Linda Binkley - October 25, 2022 at 10:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Delphia Johnson Williams.*



October 25, 2022 at 11:21 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of *Delphia Johnson Williams*.



October 25, 2022 at 11:13 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of *Delphia Johnson Williams*.



October 25, 2022 at 01:06 AM