



## Mrs. Carrie Etta Williams,

April 14, 1926 - April 24, 2019

On Wednesday, April 24th, God in His infinite wisdom deemed it appropriate to add to His Heavenly Kingdom the soul of His faithful servant, Carrie Williams, thus ending her earthy travail.

Carrie, affectionately known as “Mother” or “Muh” was born April 14, 1926 to the late John and Cora Fleming who were sharecroppers, in Greene County, North Carolina. She had twelve siblings. She was educated in the public-school system of Greene County, NC. She had to stop her formal education early to help provide for her family by working in the cotton and tobacco fields of North Carolina. In her early teens she moved to New York to pursue a better life. She worked as a nanny, providing care for other children, and she was a hospital aide. She returned to North Carolina, where in 1942 she met and married, Willie Jasper Williams, Sr., and from that union, 5 children were born.

In 1944, they came to Baltimore, MD to pursue a better life for their expanding family. Things became challenging for their family, and she traveled back and forth between North Carolina and Maryland, doing whatever she could to take care of her growing family.

In 1960, Carrie settled in Baltimore, with her love, George Willoughby, Sr., where they raised four children together. She was employed at Bugle Laundry as a laborer and MD Hospital Laundry for ten years, until a car accident injured her and prevented her from working outside the home any longer.

In the late 1960s, Carrie came to know the Lord and was baptized under the leadership of Bishop Joseph Rogers. She was a faithful servant, prayer warrior, demon slayer, and praise and worshipper. She was a highly respected Mother of the Church, leading many souls to Christ.

Carrie loved to cook for her family, and at 93 years old she was still baking cakes. Impressed by her zeal to continue cooking and recreating recipes from memory, with no

written notes, her grandson Whittney nicknamed her “Old Spice” which caught on with many of her grandchildren and friends on social media. She particularly enjoyed sharing cooking secrets, giving advice on recipes, and recreating flavors from her childhood. She was famous for her delicious banana pudding and homemade biscuits made from scratch.

She leaves to cherish her memory: four loving children, Levi Williams (Cheryl), Janice Brown, Linda Thompson, and George Willoughby, Jr.; one sister, Larce Cannon; eighteen grandchildren, sixty great-grandchildren, twenty-one great-great grandchildren, and a host of many nieces, nephews, and other family and friends who love her dearly. Five children, eleven siblings, and four grandchildren preceded her in death. We know they are together in heaven rejoicing with the Lord.

# Cemetery

**Mt. Carmel Cemetery**  
5712 O'Donnell Street  
Baltimore, MD, 21224

# Events

**MAY 2**    **Visitation**    03:00PM - 05:00PM

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Chatman-Harris Funeral Home East  
4210 Belair Road, Baltimore, MD, US, 21206

**MAY 2**    **Visitation**    05:00PM - 08:00PM

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**MAY 3**    **Visitation**    11:00AM - 11:30AM

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New Harvest Ministries  
2239 E. Fayette Street, Baltimore, MD, US, 21231

**MAY 3**    **Service**    11:30AM

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# Comments

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“ Ginger Hamlett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Carrie Etta Williams,



**ginger hamlett** - April 29, 2019 at 11:35 AM



“ to Linda and Family I extend my deepest sympathies to you and your family. May the soul of your mother be at peace with our Heavenly Father. Love Ginger and Family

**ginger hamlett** - April 29, 2019 at 11:38 AM