# Family Members and Friends

To My Brother

Our Hearts still ache with sadness,
And many tears still flow,
What it meant to lose you,
No one will ever know.

We love you and we will see you again one day.

Rest in Heaven Our Brother.

From Babby, Windy & Family

### To Our Cousin

Words can't express the heavy heart we feel as our lives will be very empty without you and your smile.

You were our cousin, our protector and best friend
So many memories that will never be erased because we were and will always be family.

Always.

May God and Our Loved Ones Welcome You Into Heaven with Open Arms May Your Beautiful Smile Light Up Heaven Until We Meet Again.

We and Your Family Abroad Loves & Misses You More Than You'll Ever Know...
You Will Always Be In Our Thoughts and Hearts.

All of Your Family

## Heknowledgement

We, the family of Willie Gilmore, are grateful to God for loyal, caring and devoted friends like you during our time of bereavement. We appreciate your prayers, visits, calls, texts and every act of kindness expressed for they have given us strength and inspiration. We truly "THANK YOU" from the bottom of our hearts. May God's Mercy, Grace and Blessings be upon each and every one of you.

"To God Be The Glory for ALL The Things He Has Done"

~ The Mundy and Vining Families ~

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# H Celebration of Gife for Willie Gene Gilmore



Sunrise
January 15, 1962

*Sunset*June 25, 2020

**Service** 1:30 PM, Friday, July 10, 2020

Samuel C. Rogers, Jr. Memorial Chapel

4315 N. Main Street Jacksonville, Florida 32206

Elder Stevenson, Officiating

## Obituary Journey of Life

Willie Gene Gilmore was born on January 15,1962 to the late "Hamp" Jackson and Annette Vining Gilmore. He was birthed in Augusta, Georgia and then moved to Brooklyn, New York where he resided until his teenage years. He later moved to Jacksonville, Florida with his grandmother, Rose Vining who raised him until his adulthood. He was a lifelong resident of the Eastside Community where he became well known and was loved by many.

Willie was a very loving, caring, and compassionate man as a father, partner, G-Pa, brother, cousin, uncle, nephew, and a true friend to everyone who was blessed to be around him. He never complained and was always willing to lend a helping hand or a listening ear no matter when or where. His character was that of a jokester as he always made others laugh. His smile was contagious and would light up any room and he was no joke in the kitchen or on a grill! "Truly A God Gifted Spirit with A Heart of Gold"

Willie was employed at Mercury Carpet & Floored by Taylor until his health started failing. Although he had to retire, his boss continued to stay in touch and be a great friend.

Willie was preceded in death by his parents, Hamp Jackson and Annette V. Gilmore. He leaves to mourn his daughter: Carla Daniels; Life Partner of 20+ years: Karen Mundy; step-daughter: Tonya Mundy; grandson: Zion & Family; brother: Glen Gilmore; Aunt: Karen Vining (New York); Uncles: Bobby Watson and Keith Watson (New York); Great Aunts: Mamie Vining (New York), Shirley Palmer (Will), Virginia; and Trudie Vining (Georgia); Devoted Cousins: Blenda, Vincent, Laurie (Darell) and Cheryl (Ben) of Jacksonville, FL.; a host of cousins, nieces, nephews, Special Devoted and Lifelong Friends: James "Babby" Smith (Windy) and the entire Smith Family; and Best Friend: Larry Triplett.









## Order of Service

Processional and Viewing	
Opening Prayer	Elder Stevenson
Scripture	Elder Stevenson
Worship	Philip Mercer
Obituary	
Reflections	(Two Minutes Please)
Worship	Philip Mercer
Eulogy	Elder Stevenson
Recessional	

## Interment

Private



Loving Memories