

Flower Attendants
Friends of the Family

~A Fallen Limb~

A limb has fallen from the family tree. I keep hearing a voice that says "Grieve Not For Me". Remember the best times, the laughter, and the song. The good life I lived while I was strong. Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you. Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine through. My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest. Remembering all, how I truly was blessed. Continue traditions, no matter how small. Go on with your lives, don't stare at the wall. I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin. Until the day comes when we're together again.

Acknowledgements

Perhaps you made a comforting call or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a card or dish of food; if so, we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words any friend could say, Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts, we thank you so much. Whatever the part, may God bless you.

~ The Family of Shirley Jean Leon ~

*Homegoing
Celebration*

for

Shirley Jean Leon



Sunrise

December 18, 1952

Sunset

August 2, 2020

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Service

11:00 AM, Saturday, August 15, 2020

Samuel C. Rogers, Jr. Memorial Chapel

4315 North Main Street
Jacksonville, Florida 32206

Bro. Morris Hicks, Officiating

Obituary

Shirley Jean Leon was born in Jesup, Georgia on December 18, 1952 to her parents, Lottie Mae Bryant and William Samuel Dillon. She received her high school diploma and was baptized later in life as a witness of the Southside congregation. She got remarried to Willie Leon, Sr. in Jacksonville, Florida on October 9, 1982.

Shirley was known for her beauty and pretty smile. She loved her husband, her kids, and her grandkids. She was strength for her friends and family as she took care of everyone. She welcomed people in and loved to cook. She enjoyed rice and loved herself some seafood. She was always jolly and happy. Her sense of humor was great and often joked about Smokey Robinson and Johnny Gill being her other husbands.

She was determined and strong-willed. If she wanted something done, she would put her mind to it and got it done. She was confident and was a fighter. She would not let anything hold her back and any obstacles would not stand in her way. She would keep going and smiling while going through it.

During her spare time, she enjoyed reading mysteries and drama. She also watched old comedy shows like Martin, Family Matters and Living Single. Everyone had kind words to say about Shirley and how she touched their lives with her beauty, wisdom, kind words, and strength.

Shirley Jean Leon departed this life on Sunday, August 2, 2020, and was preceded in death by her parents, William Samuel Dillon and Lottie Mae Bryant; sister, Emma Dale Robinson; brother, Tony Dillon; and grandkids, Brian Gregory Brown and Malik Jamal Cason.

She leaves to mourn her passing: her husband, Willie Leon, Sr.; one and only son, Henry Lee Williams, Jr. (Frenchess); daughters, Lajuan Shondell Cason (William) and Sherry Ann Williams; brothers, Roy Lee Dillon (Lessie) and Larry Dillon (Sharrie); grandkids, great-grands, and a host of other family and friends.

Order of Service

Bro. Morris Hicks, Presiding

Processional

Scripture Reading

Old Testament Bro. Morris Hicks
Ecclesiastes 7:1-2

New Testament Bro. Morris Hicks
Revelation 21:4-5

Prayer Bro. Morris Hicks

Musical Selection Bro. Morris Hicks
Psalm 30

Remarks Bro. Morris Hicks

Musical Selection Bro. Morris Hicks
Psalm 139

Eulogy Bro. Morris Hicks

Interment

Private

