



## **SSgt.(Ret) Willie F. Coleman Sr.**

October 6, 1931 - February 8, 2021

Mr. Willie Frank Coleman, Sr. is the son of the late Claude Washington Coleman and the late Phyllis Nelson. He was born on October 6, 1931 in Florence, South Carolina. Willie was educated in the public schools of Florence County. He also obtained an AS in Accounting, and a BS in Mathematics. Willie enlisted in the United States Air Force where he served honorably for 24 years.

Willie became a member of Greater Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church in Charleston, SC. Willie was united in holy wedlock to Lillie M. Coleman for 57 years. In that union 3 sons were born.

On Monday February 8, 2021 God in His infinite wisdom saw fit to call him from labor to reward.

His family will celebrate his life at a private Graveside Service on Saturday, February 20, 2021 at Live Oak Memorial Garden.

He is preceded in death by his wife: Lillie Mae Coleman. Son: Michael D. Coleman. Brother: Claude Washington Jr. Sister: Anne Coleman. Grandson: Bryan C. Coleman, Great Grandson: William D.J.B Coleman.

Willie leaves behind to cherish his memories: Sons: Willie F. Coleman Jr

(Twana) of Havelock, NC, and Ronald Isaac Coleman of Charleston, SC. Sister: Bertie Moultrie of Laurel MD, Sister-in-law: Earlie Mae of Effingham, SC. Grandchildren: William D. Coleman of Goose Creek, SC, Jason A. Coleman (Tonya) of Hickory, NC, Sonya R. Coleman Lynch (Damion) of Cincinnati Ohio, Xavier O. Coleman (Caitlyn) of Hubert, NC, and Dove O. Coleman of Havelock, NC. Also cherishing his memories are five (5) great-grandchildren, his nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Viewing for Mr. Coleman will be held on Friday, February 19, 2021 from 4:00 to 6:00 PM at Smith-McNeal Funeral Home, Inc., 2119 Dorchester Rd., North Charleston, SC 29405 (843)722-3676.

Live stream for the service may be viewed at:  
<https://www.facebook.com/kingdomgrafixbyty/>

# Cemetery Details

## Live Oak Memorial Gardens

Highway 61  
Charleston, SC 29407

# Previous Events

## Viewing

FEB 19. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Smith-McNeal Funeral Home  
2119 Dorchester Road  
North Charleston, SC 29405  
(843) 722-3676  
smithmcnealfuner@gmail.com

# Tribute Wall

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“ We are sending our sympathy to all of Willie's family. We will miss him. We still miss our Lillie so much. Sincerely from all of the Patrick Dennis family.

Myrtle Ann Dennis - February 20, 2021 at 10:23 AM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of SSgt.(Ret) Willie F. Coleman Sr..



February 19, 2021 at 05:57 PM

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“ I was so sorry to read of Mr. Coleman's death. While I didn't know Willie very well, I loved Lillie's stories of their life together in the military. Ronald and Jr., I have missed your mother so much these past few years. My prayer is that you find comfort and peace and knowing that your parents are together again, in all Heaven's glory.  
Ann Priest

ANN M PRIEST - February 19, 2021 at 05:48 PM

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“ Al & Carol McKnight purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of SSgt.(Ret) Willie F. Coleman Sr..



Al & Carol McKnight - February 18, 2021 at 02:18 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of SSgt.(Ret) Willie F. Coleman Sr..*



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February 18, 2021 at 02:11 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of SSgt.(Ret) Willie F. Coleman Sr..*



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February 17, 2021 at 12:34 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of SSgt.(Ret) Willie F. Coleman Sr..*



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February 14, 2021 at 01:54 PM



“ *Wanda Scott lit a candle in memory of SSgt. (Ret) Willie F. Coleman Sr.*



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**Wanda Scott** - February 12, 2021 at 12:23 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of SSgt.(Ret) Willie F. Coleman Sr..*



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February 11, 2021 at 07:28 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of SSgt.(Ret) Willie F. Coleman Sr..*



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February 11, 2021 at 07:09 PM