

## **WILLIE JEROME GREER, SR**

*For It Is Written In the Book of II Timothy 6-8 Chapter, "For I am ready to be offered, my departure is at hand. I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto them also that love his appearing".*

**Mr. Willie Jerome Greer, Jr. was born January 20, 1946 to the late Willie Jerome Greer, Sr. and Octavia Adams-Waters in Montezuma, Georgia. He was born and raised in the " Philliptown Community" and was educated in the public schools of Macon County, Georgia where he attended Macon County Training School and was a 1967 graduate of the historic D.F. Douglas High School. Roni also attended Temple University in Philadelphia, PA. Roni was employed/retired from Southern Frozen Foods. After retirement, he moved and spent many years residing in Philadelphia, PA before trading the brutal cold temperatures for some warmer weather in Atlanta, Georgia for several years and eventually moving back to his roots, Montezuma, Georgia. He worked for ACME, Arko Securities, Sherwin Williams and the Marriot Marquis until his health declined. As a young child, Roni joined the Second Salem Baptist Church, Montezuma, Georgia.**

**Willie was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Greer, parents; Willie Jerome Greer, Sr. and Octavia Adams-Waters; Grandparents, Ruth McKenzie Adams-Green and Harvey Adams; siblings, Ruth Ann Adams, Crenshaw Adams, Gary Waters, Charlie Waters; great-nephew, Quay Harris; his children mothers; Bettye Rackley-Green and Marilyn Reese-Haslam.**

*On December 26, 2024, God embraced him in His arms and enfolded him in his home. A precious one from us is gone; a voice we love is still. A place is vacant in our hearts that can never more be filled.*

**He leaves to cherish his memory four loving and devoted children, Charlene Green-Moore of Morrow, Georgia, Markeith J. Curgil, Montezuma, Georgia, Latavia Greer, Fort Valley, Georgia and Justin Greer of Savannah, Georgia; eight grandchildren; Marc Fuller, Jr., Morrow, GA, LaQuasha Battle of Montezuma, GA, Diamonte Greer, Los Angeles, CA, Charde Martin (Deionte), Lawrenceville, GA, Markeith L. Curgil, Montezuma, GA, Isaiah Greer, Fort Valley, GA, Kierra Greer of Cartersville, GA and Hakeem Hicks of Fort Valley, GA; step grandchildren, Alonzo Hicks and Eric Hicks, Jr. both of Fort Valley, GA.**

**great-grandchildren, Alaysia Engram, Aubrey Engram, Zaylen Engram, all of Montezuma, GA, Luka Martin and Ever Martin, both of Lawrenceville, GA. Siblings, Ophelia Waters of Warner Robins, Georgia, Marquita Waters-Adams (Billy), Douglasville, Georgia, Phyllistine Waters-Gardner (David), Kennesaw, Georgia; half-sibling, Linda Faye Bethel of Miami, Florida.**

**A host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.**

**Setup Info:**

**Markeith J Curgil Residence**

**6726 GA Hwy 26 East  
Montezuma, GA**

**(478) 273-9659**

**Thursday, Jan. 2, 2025 from 5pm - 10pm**

**Friday, Jan. 3, 2025 from 5pm - 10pm**

## ORDER OF SERVICE

<b>Musical Prelude</b>	<b>Shannon Jones-Leary</b>
<b>Processional</b>	<b>Led By Ministers</b>
<b>Song</b>	<b>Shannon Jones-Leary</b>
<b>Prayer</b>	<b>Evangelist Barbara Law</b>
<b>Scripture</b>	
<b>Old Testament</b>	<b>Minister</b>
<b>New Testament</b>	<b>Minister</b>
<b>Song</b>	<b>Sara Walker/Linda Merrell</b>
<b>Reflections</b>	<b>Family and Friends (limited to two minutes)</b>
<b>Song</b>	<b>Linda Merrell</b>
<b>Eulogy</b>	
<b>Song</b>	<b>Mario Freeman</b>
<b>Acknowledgements</b>	<b>West Mortuary</b>
<b>Musical Postlude</b>	<b>Shannon Jones-Leary</b>

**SERVICES: SECOND SALEM BAPTIST CHURCH**

**HIS EARTHLY PLACE: CHAMP WATERS CEMETERY**

**REPAST: SHADE ARNOLD BAPTIST CHURCH**

***Pallbearers:***

**Chavez Brown  
Jovi Gardner  
Joshua Harris-West  
Christian Holmes**

**Reiton Allen  
Jaquan Jackson  
Jecaryous Jackson**

**Flower Attendants:**

**D.F. Douglass Class of 1967**

**Honorary Flower Attendants**

- 1. Markeith J Curgil**
- 2. Latavia Greer**
- 3. Hakeem Hicks**

4. Charlene Green
5. Justin Greer
6. Marc Fuller
7. Diamonte Greer

1. Laquasha Battle
2. Alaysia Engram
3. Aubrey Engram
4. Zaylen Engram
5. Markeith L. Curgil
6. Chardae Butts
7. Isaiah Greer

1. Ophelia Waters
2. Marquita Adams
3. Phyllistine Gardner
4. David Gardner
5. Connie Walker
6. Sherlanda Allen
7. Keisha Haugabook

1. Temecula Brown
2. Nadesha
3. Robbie Harris
4. Teleah Walker
5. Jimmie Jackson
6. Jovi Gardner