## Expressions of Gratitude

The family of Mother Willie A. Wheeler Williams wishes to express their deepest appreciation for your kind words, cards, calls, visits, food, flowers and prayers of comfort during this time. May God bless each and every one of you. Special thanks to our New Fellowship Baptist Church family for your example of Christ's love and exemplifying the church covenant.

#### Pallbearers

Michael Rudolph - Virgil Coleman Raphael Richardson - Amauri DaRocha

### Honorary Pallbearers

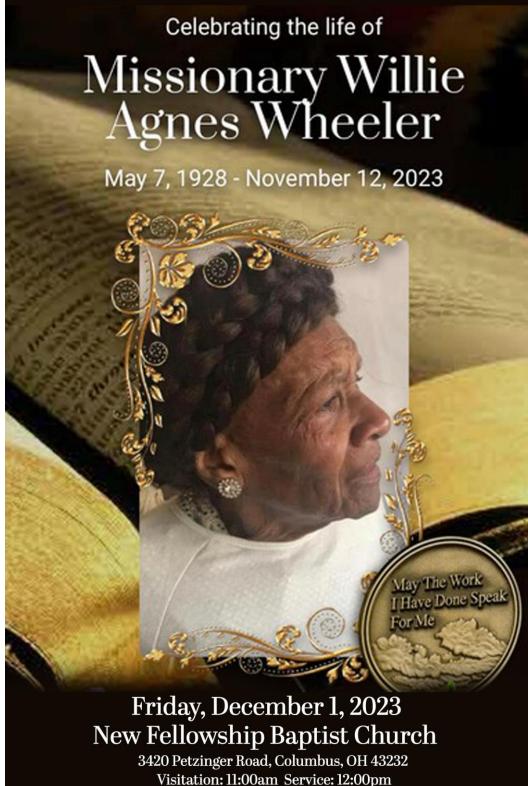
Jamar Wilson - Lyndell Williams - Deanthony Richardson Calvin Williams, Jr. - Cedric Williams - Daniel Jackson Charlene Faison - Elijah Boswell

# Life is but a Stopping Place

Life is but a stopping place, A pause in what's to be,
A resting place along the road, to sweet eternity.
We all have different journey's, Different path's along the way,
We all were meant to learn some things, But never meant to stay.....
Our destination is a place, Far greater than we know,
For some the journey's quicker, For some the journey's slow,
And when the journey finally ends, We'll claim a great reward,
And find an everlasting peace, Together with the Lord.
Author unknown

To offer condolences to The Wheeler-Williams Family, visit <a href="www.TheChapelofPeace.com">www.TheChapelofPeace.com</a>





### Obituary

Mother Willie Agnes Wheeler (Williams) was born on May 7, 1928, in the Mississippi Delta, the only child of Artelia Wheeler Harris.

She accepted Christ at the age of 12 and later began singing with the Silvertone Singers, a gospel quartet formed by her mother which was the first female quartet to sing on the radio in Vicksburg, Mississippi. Later, she served on the Mother's Board of New Fellowship Baptist Church prior to moving to California. As she continued her service to the Lord with a revival of the Silvertone Singers, she added her daughter to the group and spent her remaining years singing and serving as a missionary to the homeless and helpless in and around Long Beach, California as a member of Jesus Dwelling Church.

Mother Wheeler Williams adored her family. She also loved to fish and would never miss an opportunity to do so. She loved to make people laugh and she was very good at it. She lit up every room that she was in with the light of God that was in her.

She is preceded in home going by her mother, Artelia Wheeler Harris; daughters, Beatrice Bess & Janice Williams and grandsons, Davon & Robert Nash.

She will be cherished and fondly remembered by her children, Harlan (Pat) Nash, Calvin Williams, Beverly Nash, Prophetess Lola Nash-Jackson, Charlotte (Michael) Rudolph, Versietta (John) Garrett, Marian Wilson; cousin, Harvey (Kathy) Johnson, Jr.; grandchildren, Migdanah, Neshiyqah, Shappir, Sasown, Lyndell, LaTonya, Michelle, Cedric, Calvin Jr., Evan, Drew, Shelese, Charlene, Daniel, Elijah, Abraham, Chris, Nathan, Derik, Bryant, Raphael, Deanthony, Diamond, Destiny, Jamar, 29 great grandchildren, special bonus daughters, Elder Juanita Mangum, Patrice Weldon, Edna Mae Lewis, other loving relatives, her church family at Jesus Dwelling Church and many friends.

# Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDEMusic Ministry
PARTING VIEW Immediate Family
SCRIPTURE READING
PRAYER Elder Karla Roseburgh
SELECTIONMusic Ministry
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS Deaconess Andrea Coleman
REMARKS (2 Minutes Please)Family and Friends
READING OF OBITUARYRead Silently
SELECTIONMusic Ministry
The Eulogy
Bishop Alphonso Guice Jr., MDiv., Senior Pastor, New Fellowship Baptist Church
BENEDICTION Bishop Alphonso Guice Jr.
RECESSIONALClergy, Family, and Friends

Interment

**Evergreen Cemetery**