



## Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.

June 6, 1955 - October 16, 2021

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William James Gregory, Jr. was born in Forrest City, Arkansas, on June 6, 1955, to the union of William Gregory, Sr. and Pearlie Gregory. The family resided in Forrest City, Arkansas, where he received his education from the Forrest City school district and was a graduate of Forrest City High School class of 1974. While living in Forrest City, Arkansas, he was a member of Salem Missionary Baptist Church, under the leadership of the late Reverend James Toney. He was a member of St. Luke Community United Methodist Church in Dallas, Texas, until his death.

He is preceded in death by his parents, William Gregory Sr. and Pearlie Gregory, his daughter, Natalya, his Mother-in-law, Ruby Pearl Winfrey, and Father-in-law, Jessie Lee Winfrey.

William departed this life to live eternally with his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on October 16, 2021 at Memorial Hermann Katy Hospital.

William leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Patricia Winfrey Gregory; his 4 children, William Gregory III of Dallas, Texas, Tameka Gregory of Richardson, Texas, Darrell Jackson (Ashley) of Forrest City, Arkansas, and Shameka Gregory of Sachse, Texas; 5 sisters, Pearlie Key(Michael) of Jonesboro, Arkansas; Charlene Covington of Jacksonville, Arkansas; Diann Taylor (Billy) of Jonesboro, Arkansas; Brenda Robinson (Charles) of Jonesboro, Arkansas; Patricia L. Gregory of Madison, Arkansas; 2 brothers, Alvin Gregory (Helen) of Forrest City, Arkansas; Aaron Gregory (Roberta) of Jonesboro, Arkansas; 12 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and many, many friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Paradise Garden Cemetery

68 Minnis Drive  
Edmondson, AR 72332

# Previous Events

## Visitation with a requirement of a face covering

OCT **29**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Miles J. Kimble Mortuary & Cremation  
1900 South Washington Street  
Forrest City, AR 72335  
(870) 633-1914  
mjkimble@yahoo.com  
<http://www.mjkmortuaryandcremation.com>

## Service with a requirement of a face covering

OCT **30**. 12:00 PM (CT)

Riverside M.B. Church  
628 SFC 419  
Widener , AR 72394

# Tribute Wall

AB

“ *Annette Bradley lit a candle in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.* ”



Annette Bradley - October 30, 2021 at 10:38 PM

KR

“ *Going to miss those random calls, when you would call, looking for Alfred. Rest In Peace, aka Pig. My condolences to the Family* ”

Kizzie Rogers - October 30, 2021 at 01:11 PM

MW

“ *Mildred Willis lit a candle in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.* ”



Mildred Willis - October 30, 2021 at 11:43 AM

 Resia  
Guyton-  
Robert

“ *My condolences to the Gregory family. May God give you strength and peace during this season. Praying for the entire family. 🙏* ”



Resia Guyton-Robert - October 30, 2021 at 10:17 AM

OB

“ *Othello & Loistine Bowman lit a candle in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.* ”



Othello & Loistine Bowman - October 29, 2021 at 10:30 PM

MG

“ *Marva Johnson Garrett lit a candle in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.*



**Marva Johnson Garrett** - October 28, 2021 at 04:02 PM

OC

“ *Odester Conway lit a candle in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.*



**Odester Conway** - October 27, 2021 at 09:38 PM

ST

“ *Shirley Williams Thorn lit a candle in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.*



**Shirley Williams Thorn** - October 27, 2021 at 07:09 PM

SB

“ *Shirley Haggins Brown sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.*



**Shirley Haggins Brown** - October 27, 2021 at 08:42 AM

SB

*My Classmate Diane an Family you all have my love an Prayers. May the Lord continue to Bless an guide you. Amen*

**Shirley Haggins Brown** - October 27, 2021 at 08:48 AM

WA

“ I was really saddened to hear of my cousin pig passing away to Patricia and the family I'm praying for you all I know it's a hard battle to fight but the pain and suffering is gone I remember the last time he stopped by he had that same wide beautiful smile I'll never forget that day love you all and hope to see y'all at the visitation from Cousin Annie Wade

Wade Annie - October 26, 2021 at 09:10 PM

EG

Sincere condolences to Patricia and the entire family of William "Pig" Gregory. I grew up with William back in the 60s and 70s. Pig was an excellent lifeguard alongside Melvin Miller at the Southside Park. He was a very kind and respectful gentleman with a big smile always on his face. William also held his ground on the basketball court as well! I'm going to truly miss my friend! God bless and comfort his family always in Jesus mighty name!

Evangelist Michael K. Gray - October 26, 2021 at 09:39 PM

OC

God be with the family of my classmate Pig Gregory.

Odester Conway - October 27, 2021 at 09:36 PM

DR

“ Deaderick Robert sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.



Deaderick Robert - October 26, 2021 at 06:27 AM

DA

“ To the Gregory family my sincere prayers and condolences are with you all during this most difficult time. May God bless and strengthen each of you!!



Doris Alexander - October 25, 2021 at 10:41 PM

SK

“ My heart goes out to the Gregory family. Pig was a awesome well respected manContinued prayers for all of the family p



Shonna King - October 25, 2021 at 09:16 PM

BJ

“ *Bobbie Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.*



**Bobbie Jones** - October 25, 2021 at 09:04 PM

JT

“ *Jr Townsend lit a candle in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.*



**jr townsend** - October 25, 2021 at 08:32 PM

MM

“ *Monica Manning lit a candle in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.*



**Monica Manning** - October 25, 2021 at 06:51 PM

AL

“ *Anita Lucas lit a candle in memory of Mr. William James Gregory, Jr.*



**Anita Lucas** - October 25, 2021 at 05:22 PM

DM

“ *Sending condolences to the family of William Gregory on behalf of The Lincoln High School - Maroon & Gold National Alumni Association, Inc. (MGNAAI), Forrest City, Arkansas. William was a member of the Forrest City High School Class of 1974.*”



*Delores Farr Morelon  
MGNAAI President*

**Delores Morelon** - October 25, 2021 at 02:59 PM

TH

“ Thinking of you during this difficult time.  
"Pig" and "Mule"  
My daddy Pat Haggins and William Gregory...



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**Tracy Haggins** - October 25, 2021 at 02:53 PM