



## E.T. "Sonny" Willis

December 30, 1940 - October 20, 2021

Nobles Funeral Home and Crematory announces the funeral service for Mr. E.T. "Sonny" Willis, age 80, who passed on Wednesday, October 20, 2021. Mr. Willis lived in Twin City for the majority of his life. He retired from United Insurance in 1999 after working for thirty-five years. He relocated to Baxley and has lived here for the past eleven years. E.T. was a faithful member of Oak Grove Church of God where he served as an usher and Sunday School Superintendent with pride. He was full of life, always smiling and laughing. While he had some health problems, he never allowed them to hold him back from loving life. His hobbies included fishing, cooking, and grilling. He also loved football and was an avid Georgia Bulldog fan. He enjoyed traveling to the mountains, visiting his sisters, and visiting historical sites and monuments. His favorite pastimes included meeting with friends for coffee and breakfast daily. His favorite coffee was McCafé. He loved playing with his grandchildren who referred to him as "Papa T". He gave each of his grandchildren a personalized "nickname" and always referred to them each as such. He never missed a birthday party or school function for his grandkids. Mr. Willis is preceded in death by his parents, Leon "Buck" and Fronnie Turner Willis; three sisters, Juanita Willis, Bessie Braswell, Margie Pechman Quito; a grandson, Ronnie Barber; and a great grandson, Dakota Moore. Surviving are his three children, Barbara Willis Davis of Baxley, Mike Willis (Margie) of Arkansas, Eugene Barber (Bonnie) of Glennville; eleven grandchildren; twenty-seven great grandchildren; twelve great great grandchildren; a sister,

Betty Carpenter of Wingate, NC; a special brother, Bill Casteel of Indiana; and a special friend, Shirley Bracewell of Baxley also survive. The funeral service will be held on Tuesday, October 26, 2021, at 11:00 A.M. at the Nobles Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Matt Bass and Brittany Perez Parete officiating. A graveside service will follow at 2:00 P.M. at Twin City City Cemetery. A visitation will be held from 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. on Monday, October 25, 2021, at the Nobles Funeral Home Chapel. Nobles Funeral Home and Crematory is honored to serve the family of Mr. E.T. Sonny Willis.

# Tribute Wall



“ Nobles Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis



Nobles Funeral Home & Crematory - October 20, 2021 at 12:00 AM

PD

“ We sure miss you Grandpa, we aren't \perking\" very well without you here. Until we see you again

Penny Dubberly - September 25, 2024 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ I'm so sorry for your loss Barbara, Mike, Eugene and the rest of the family.  
Whenever I thinkof Uncle Sonny I will forever remember him as  
\always happy and always smiling\"!

Darwin and Sarah Hinson - September 25, 2024 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis



Kathy Kirkland - January 24, 2022 at 10:27 PM

KK

“ A beautiful ray of light gone too soon



Kathy Kirkland - October 26, 2021 at 08:07 PM

RK

“ Oh, Uncle Sonny, during another time of sorrow last February, I had the opportunity to sit, visit and reconnect with you. I'm so thankful for that and will remember always! We'll all see you again !

Becky”

Rebecca Kirkland - October 25, 2021 at 09:40 PM

MA

“ Uncle Sonny will truly be missed..He was a great man..love you and tell everyone hello for me till we meet again.



Maggie - October 24, 2021 at 07:36 PM

MF

“ A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis



Maggie Freeman - October 24, 2021 at 07:34 PM

KT

“ *Such a Sweet and Loving man, so SORRY for your loss Barbara and Mike, He will be missed, Loved him so much*



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**Kaye Taylor** - October 24, 2021 at 03:04 PM

DB

“ *Going to miss this man so much! He always welcomed everyone with a smile and a hug at church . He was a very Good Christian man. He served our church very well. Love you and miss you ET â I know you and daddy is having some church up there .*

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**Denise Bryant** - October 23, 2021 at 04:48 PM

JH

“ *A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis*



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**Jamie Page Holland** - October 23, 2021 at 04:40 PM

CH

“ *A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis*



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**Chelsey** - October 23, 2021 at 03:13 PM

NK

“ You all are in my prayers

Neta Kicklighter - October 23, 2021 at 12:45 PM

LF

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Linda Fulmer - October 23, 2021 at 09:18 AM

SL

“ He was a good man.

Sheila lee - October 23, 2021 at 08:51 AM

CH

“ A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis



Christine - October 23, 2021 at 07:13 AM

KK

“ A beautiful soul who never met a stranger. Never forgotten. RIP

Kathy Kirkland - October 23, 2021 at 12:08 AM

KK

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**Kathy Kirkland** - October 23, 2021 at 12:05 AM

L.

“ A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis



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**Lindsey & justin .** - October 22, 2021 at 10:57 PM

LI

“ we love you pa .

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**Lindsey** - October 22, 2021 at 10:56 PM

LS

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**Lindsey slater** - October 22, 2021 at 10:55 PM

BB

“ A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis



Bobbie & Betty - October 22, 2021 at 09:45 PM

BO

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all the family. May God give you his peace and love at this time of griefđŸ™đŸ™đŸ™đŸ™

Bobbie - October 22, 2021 at 09:44 PM

BS

“ Rest in peace Uncle Sonny. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. We love you and our hearts are broken but now you are finally free from all the pain.



Bobbie Stewart - October 22, 2021 at 09:40 PM

MG

“ A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis



Melissa Gonzalez - October 22, 2021 at 09:31 PM

SC

“ A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis



Slater Cheri - October 22, 2021 at 08:51 PM

DA

“ A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis



delane allen - October 22, 2021 at 06:56 PM

TB

“ R.I.P. Et Willis and my thoughts and prayers is with the family..

Teresa Barber - October 22, 2021 at 06:07 PM

TB

“ A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny" Willis



Teresa Barber - October 22, 2021 at 06:05 PM

MA

“ Prayers for Mr. E.T.'s family and friends ðŸ™•ðŸ™•ðŸ™•

Marlin and Dorothy Altman - October 22, 2021 at 05:41 PM

MA

“ A candle was lit in memory of E.T. "Sonny"  
Willis



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**Marlin and Dorothy Altman** - October 22, 2021 at 05:39 PM