



## Mr. Willie Roy Shields

March 25, 1939 - March 31, 2025

SAVANNAH - Mr. Willie Roy Shields, 86 husband of Mrs. Louise Lovett Shields departed this life on Monday, March 31, 2025, at his residence surrounded by his loving family. Willie was born on March 25, 1939, to the parents of Bartow Shields and Dossie Mae McNair Shields in Gibson, Georgia. He received his early education in the Glascock County Schools. He spent his adult life in Savannah, Georgia.

He was joined in holy matrimony to Louise Lovett. Together they shared a beautiful union.

He retired after many years of service with the International Longshoreman Association (ILA) Local 1414.

He loved spending time with his family.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Bartow and Dossie Shields, sisters, Lomie Roper, Helen Mike, Inez Shields Mention, Lillie Mae Shields Gaskin, and a brother, Leon Shields.

He was called home to our Lord and Savior on Monday, March 31, 2025.

In celebration of Willie Roy Shields, let us remember to love and remember the legacy that he leaves behind.

He leaves to cherish his memories a very loving and devoted wife of twenty-six years, Louise Lovett Shields of Savannah; daughter, Annette Moss (Bobby) of Powder Springs, GA; sons, Willie Roy Shields, Jr (Brenda), James Frank Shields (Katrina) all of Wrens, GA, Mack D. Shields of Thomson, GA, Ronnie Sanders (Nadene) of Sylvania, GA and Sherman Lovett (Katoria) of Statesboro, GA; one sister, Sandra Norman (Melvin) of Lincolnnton, GA; two brothers, Ray Shields, Hardwick Shields; sister-in-law, Carolyn Shields all of Savannah, GA; Brother- in-laws, Joenathan Lovett (Henrietta), Rolton Lovett (Patricia), 15 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

.Service will be live stream on Sexton-Hall Funeral Home Facebook page.

# Cemetery Details

## Woodville Cemetery

Roberts Street  
Savannah, GA 31408

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 4. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Sexton- Hall Funeral Home  
5 Birkenhead Road  
(21 South Coastal Highway)  
Port Wentworth, GA 31407  
(912) 964-4336  
sextonhall@att.net  
<https://sextonhallfh.com>

## Funeral Service

APR 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

New Generation Full Gospel Baptist Church  
2020 Tennessee Avenue  
Savannah, GA 31404

# Tribute Wall



“ *Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Willie Roy Shields.*



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