

*Mrs. Gladys Davis Williams* was born in Sumter County, Georgia on November 19, 1923, to the parentage of the late Willie Davis and the late Mrs. Willie Barnette Davis. She acquired her education in the public schools of Sumter County. Early in her life, she accepted Christ as her Savior and joined the Springhill Baptist Church. For many years, before retiring, she was employed as a cook at Stewart Restaurant at the Windsor Hotel and Kings Inn Restaurant in Americus, Georgia. Ms. Gladys was an avid seamstress and sewed clothing for her family and people in the community.

On October 10, 1940, she was united in holy matrimony to the late John Williams, Jr. and to this union, two children were born— Mary Louise Adams and John Lee Williams who both precede her in death. She is also preceded in death by two sisters, Louise Daniels and Estella Josey; three grandchildren: Joanna Lynn Williams, Andre Vernard Ingram, and Adrian Ingram; a great-great grandchild, Emma Kate Robinson and a cousin, Mary S. Williams.

She leaves to cherish her memories two grandsons who she raised: Henry Wade Williams, Union City, Georgia and David (Janice) Williams, Hampton, Georgia and a great-great grandson she also raised: Marquis Majors, Warner Robins, Georgia; one daughter-in-law, Betty Ingram Williams; her caretakers, Patricia Daniels, Rachel “Shell” Waters and Latoya Cooper (great granddaughter), all of Americus, Georgia; her grandchildren: Lynn Cooper (Charlie) Battle, Theresa Adams, Porsha Ingram, Keisha Ingram, Miya Ingram, Brittany Ingram and Tiffany Williams, Jamisha Nakamichi Wright, all of Americus, Georgia; Lucinda Clayton, Makita (Gregory) Hollis, all of Warner Robins, Georgia and Donyall (Jalisa) Ingram, Perry, Georgia; her devoted friends: Louise “Ms. Mills” Golden, Mattie Waters, Nadine Pope, Annie Harvey, and JoAnn Turjillo and several great-great grandchildren, other relatives and friends also survive.