



## Marie Tillison Williams

March 20, 1926 - May 15, 2013

Marie Tillison Williams of Fayetteville, Georgia, passed away on Wednesday, May 15, 2013. Marie was 87 years old and born in Atlanta, GA. She graduated from Russell High School in East Point in 1945. She was a member of Owl Rock United Methodist Church for 68 years where she served as treasurer and children's Sunday school teacher for many years. She retired with 25 years of service from the Fulton County School System where she was secretary at Sandtown Elementary School and later at Evoline C. West Elementary School. She will be remembered for her sweet and loving spirit. Marie was preceded in death by her father Marion DeWitt Tillison, her mother Helen Ivie Tillison, and her brothers Giles E. Tillison and Thomas M. Tillison. She is survived by her beloved husband of 67 years, John Albert Williams, her sons Kenneth (Kay) and Gary, grandsons John (Mary Margaret), Michael (Caroline), and David (Katie), and brothers and sisters Cynthia Millwood, Lamar Tillison (Helen), Ruth Waits, Eleanor Henderson, Lowery Tillison (Sonya), and Lois Spradley (Ernie). Survivors also include sisters-in-law, Joyce Tillison and Anne Tillison, and many cousins, nieces, and nephews. A Celebration of Life Service will be held Saturday, May 18, 2013, at 2:00 pm at Parrott Funeral Home in Fairburn. Minister Keith Davenport will be conducting the service assisted by Rev. Bert Gary. Interment will follow at Crest Lawn Cemetery in Atlanta. The family will receive friends Friday, May 17, 2013, from 5 until 8 pm at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to support the Southwest Christian Care, 7225 Lester Rd.,

Union City, GA 30291. Parrott Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.  
770-964-4800 ([www.parrottfuneralhome.com](http://www.parrottfuneralhome.com))

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 17. 5:00 PM - 8:00 AM (ET)

Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory  
8355 Senoia Road  
Fairburn, GA 30213  
(770) 964-4800  
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<https://www.parrottfuneralhome.com/>

# Tribute Wall

CB

“ *To the Williams Family My heart is with you and I'm praying for God to Keep you in this time of grief.*

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**Cynthia Blossomgame** - May 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ *In the short time that I got to spend with one of the most wonderful people in the world.My heart goes out to Mr.Williams and their family.I am going to miss you "MOM".*

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**Melissa Washington** - May 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ *Your in our thoughts and prayers... She was a very sweet lady...*

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**Robyn Fountain Dawkins** - May 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ *In loving memory of one of the sweetest and most graceful ladies I have had the pleasure of knowing. She will be missed in the pew in front of me at Owl Rock.*

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**Karen Harper** - May 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DN

“ *Such a sweet loving lady, she will be missed. I know I will miss the hugs she always had for me along with that sweet smile.*

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**Donita Newell** - May 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Marie was a blessing to all who knew her. No matter what pain she was in or what difficulties she was facing, she always had a smile and a hug and a word of encouragement for me. And I know I am not alone! Our loss is heaven's gain! I miss you and I love you, Marie.*

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**James Sennett** - May 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM