

Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.

December 17, 1957 - February 5, 2025

Reverend Willie Joe Jackson, Jr., also known as “Jobie”, was one heck of a husband, father, son, uncle and friend. Jobie was born in Snow Hill, MD on December 17th, 1957 to the late Sadie Elizabeth Rounds Jackson and Willie Joe Jackson, Sr. He and his family relocated to Philadelphia, PA where he attended school and graduated from Simon Gratz High School, excelling in track and field and mechanics. He entered the workforce as a young boy, bragging that he paid for his first bike with money that he earned from running newspaper routes. It is while he was young that he learned tenacity in the workforce, always ambitious with a “work for yourself” mentality. He assisted his father with opening and operating businesses such as a gas station, “John Paul Getty”, and their janitorial business, “Northern Recovery”, while in Philadelphia, PA.

In 1983 he met the love of his life, Mary “Lisa” Johnson. The couple said “I do” on August 22, 1985. As he said, “She just had to have me.” They moved to Snow Hill, MD where their family grew and flourished. Always business minded, Jobie and his father opened Snow Hill’s first black-owned salvage yard and mechanic shop while trading converter car parts across the northern East coast. Jobie’s eyes and motivation were always set on his family and creating generational wealth. This led to multiple business ventures such as Jackson’s Trucking, Inc. He later retired from Wicomico County as the lead mechanic at Shore Transit in 2023.

In 1996, Jobie was ordained as Reverend Willie J. Jackson at Georgetown Baptist Church in Pocomoke, MD. He established his own ministry, Christian Stronghold Community Church in Princess Anne, MD. It was there that he had performed the work of God by teaching and preaching the Father's word. He ministered through music by playing his bass guitar for the Traveling Gospel Singers for many years. Reverend Jackson was known to carry the word of God in his mind and heart. He was a walking talking Bible and a warrior for God. The fruits of the holy spirit manifested in his demeanor and charisma as being gentle-hearted, straight forward, patient, kind, and having the love of God for all his fellow brothers and sisters in Christ.

Jobie left this world on February 5th, 2025. He warmed so many hearts and spirits with his words of encouragement, straight forward preaching, affectionate laughter, and corny jokes. A heart like his was truly hard to find and not easy to overlook. His family will always cherish the memories of his many hours of "fixing", actually sleeping on, the couch, mastering every bassline of songs crafted by the Temptations and Kool and the Gang, and hours of wisdom.

Jobie was preceded in death by his parents, Sadie and Willie Jackson Sr., his sister, Hilda Connor, and his son, Montae Jackson. He is survived by: his wife, Lisa Jackson; son, Kyree Jackson; daughter, Jolisa Jackson (Kevin Harmon, Jr.); sisters, Vandella Jackson, Inez Jackson and Mona Jackson; brothers, Wallace Jackson, Sr., Apaula Jackson and Isaac Jackson, and a host of favorite nieces, nephews and grandchildren.

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Lovingly Submitted ~ The Jackson Family

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **15**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Christian Stronghold Community Church (Princess Anne, MD)
11390 Somerset Ave
Princess Anne, MD 21853

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

VH

“ Vicki Harmon lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.



Vicki Harmon - February 15, 2025 at 07:43 PM

CS

“ Carlisa Smith lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.



Carlisa Smith - February 15, 2025 at 08:12 AM

BI

“ My beloved and Blessed cuz .I'm going to miss you and the long talks we had .Till we meet again. love you forever



Billy - February 15, 2025 at 06:55 AM

KL

“ Karen Lewis lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.



Karen Lewis - February 14, 2025 at 11:01 PM

DB

“ *Didn't know him long, but was a great man of god. Humble and wise man. Rest in peace Evangelist Dorene Brown and Family.* ”

Dorene Brown - February 14, 2025 at 07:18 AM

BH

“ *Brenda Douglas Hudson lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.* ”



Brenda Douglas Hudson - February 13, 2025 at 10:07 PM

AJ

“ *Brother in law, you will truly be missed I still can't believe your gone but I will always remember our talks and laughs.. Rest Easy* ”



Annette M Jackson - February 13, 2025 at 07:52 PM

VJ

“ *Vandella Jackson lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.* ”



Vandella Jackson - February 13, 2025 at 07:20 PM

AM

“ *Anita Milbourne lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.*



Anita Milbourne - February 13, 2025 at 06:35 PM

SJ

“ *Sadie Jackson lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.*



Sadie Jackson - February 13, 2025 at 06:35 PM

LR

“ *Lorissa Rounds lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.*



Lorissa Rounds - February 13, 2025 at 01:10 PM

KJ

“ *Kyree Jackson lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.*



Kyree Jackson - February 13, 2025 at 11:07 AM

TW

“ Tammy Waters lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.



Tammy waters - February 12, 2025 at 06:19 PM

PL

“ Patricia Fletcher Landon lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.



Patricia Fletcher Landon - February 12, 2025 at 06:06 PM

PL

I have many memories of Rev. Jackson and family as they use to attend the same Church. May God continue to strengthen the family during this difficult time.

Patricia Fletcher Landon - February 12, 2025 at 06:10 PM



“ My daddy. Forever my world. It's so hard to say goodbye forever, so I'll say goodbye for now. There's a million things you've taught me, and I'm most grateful for you teaching me the word of God. I still listen to your voicemails, and I'm so glad I've kept them. What am I supposed to do without you?? Who am I supposed to debate about God with now? Who is going to sing with me around the house? Who else is going to call me their "favorite girl in the whole wide world" and mean it? My favorite guy and my first love. I love you, dad ☐



Jolisa Jackson - February 12, 2025 at 06:03 PM

SH

“ *Samantha Hodges lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.*



Samantha Hodges - February 12, 2025 at 03:38 PM

WW

“ *Worcester County Dept. of Public Works purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr..*



Worcester County Dept. of Public Works - February 12, 2025 at 02:44 PM

CF

“ *Calvin&Sheila Harmon Sr. And Family lit a candle in memory of Reverend Willie Joe Jackson Jr.*



Calvin&Sheila Harmon Sr. and family - February 12, 2025 at 12:39 PM

GS

“ *Pastor Jackson was truly a man of God and he loved his family dearly. I would always see him (he lived right around the corner) whether it be in the grocery and or convenience store. Each time he would greet me with a smile and inquire about my family. So we are offering our Condolences to the family (Lisa, Little Mama and Kyree).*

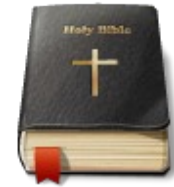
God Bless

Gloria and Woodrow Shockley

Gloria and Woodrow Shockley - February 12, 2025 at 12:04 PM

TW

“ *Sorry For Your Loss*



Thomas Widgeon - February 12, 2025 at 06:57 AM

SB

“ *The Goodness of God has Allowed Pastor Willie Jackson to Continue to Preach and Teach The Word of God According to The Gospel of Jesus Christ Our Lord. To The Family, Congregation and Friends it's been a Pleasure knowing This Man of God to Be Considered as A Friend of Mine for Years. I have Loved his Preaching and Teaching of The Righteous One. May God Words Continue to Be Comfort to Each of You and Let The Word of God Ease your Mind, Hearts and Souls so That You Would Understand that God is Too Perfect to Make Any Mistakes. Pastor Jackson has Completed his Assignment from God here on Earth. So God Called Him Back Home to Spend Eternity. Kno that His Preaching and Teaching Was Not in Vain. God Bless You All and I Love You.*

Sharon L Ballard - February 11, 2025 at 08:51 PM

LM

“ I love you, and will miss you💔



Love, Man Man - February 11, 2025 at 05:46 PM

SH

“ Rest easy pops💔💔



Sheic - February 11, 2025 at 05:41 PM

RB

“ Willie was very well liked by all , He was always willing to help out someone in need . But don't worry about me Willie I still have my " EZ PASS " and I will roll through the toll at the gates and see you in heaven . Maybe we can get to go fishing finally !

Roy B

roy bozman - February 11, 2025 at 11:25 AM

KB

“ Every one that knew Willie well, knew he was a die-hard Eagles fans. Well, Willie, I take it that you put in a good word with the Lord for that Super Bowl win.

The shop hasn't been the same since you been gone. And now, the world seems a little more sadder with your absence.

Your Friend in Christ,
Karen Berrier

Karen Berrier - February 11, 2025 at 08:29 AM



Friend in Christ Rest in Preace

Bruce E Marshall - February 11, 2025 at 02:17 PM

LF

My Condolences and Prayers to the family 💔 True man of God missed but not forgotten

Lamont and Marie Fortune - February 12, 2025 at 09:36 AM

DW

🙏🙏🙏 *praying for the family!*

Darlaine Watson - February 15, 2025 at 08:49 AM

KJ

“ Rest in peace daddy it hurts that the last words you said to me was later❤️❤️❤️😭😭

Kyree Jackson - February 10, 2025 at 11:07 PM