



William Daniel "Willie" McFalls

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William Daniel "Willie" McFalls, 77, of Memphis, Texas died Saturday, March 2, 2024 in Amarillo, Texas.

Services will be 11:00 AM Saturday, March 9, 2024 in the Memphis Church of Christ with Mariland Sims and Woodrow Richardson, officiating. Burial will follow in Fairview Cemetery in Memphis.

Viewing will be held Friday at the funeral home.

Arrangements are by Robertson Funeral Directors of Memphis.

William Daniel McFalls was born to the late Gaines and Thelma McFalls on November 28, 1946 in Memphis, Texas. Willie had a phenomenal career in music. He was named Monterey Bay Blues Society Male Vocalist of the Year in 2011 and was also named to the Texas Blues Hall of Fame.

He is survived by his kids, Keith McFalls and William McFalls, Jr.; his 3 sisters, Lola Richardson, Irene Sims, and Vera McFalls; 2 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Willie was preceded in death by his parents, Gaines and Thelma McFalls; a sister, Bertha Mae McFalls Johnson; his brothers, Rudolph McFalls, Gaines "Tim" McFalls, Jr., Robert McFalls, David McFalls, Ronnie McFalls, and James McFalls.



Events

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Viewing

Friday, March 8, 2024

9:00 AM - 6:00 PM CT

Robertson Funeral Directors - Memphis
514 North 10th Street, Memphis TX 79245

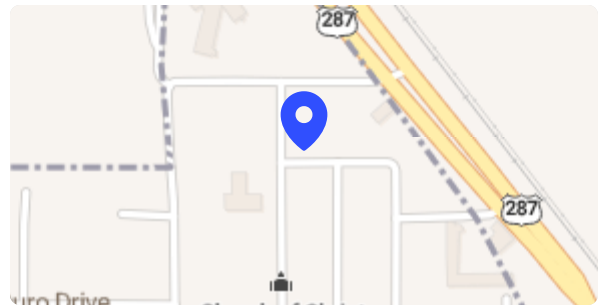


Funeral Service

Saturday, March 9, 2024

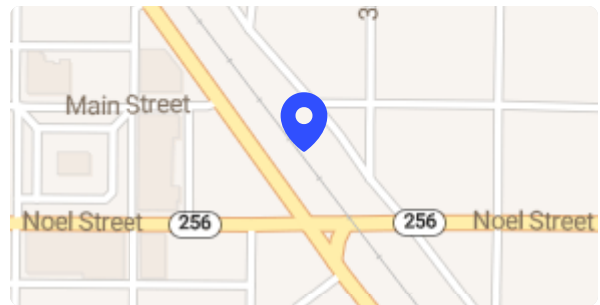
11:00 AM CT

Memphis Church of Christ
1625 North 18th Street, Memphis TX 79245



Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery - Memphis
FM 1547, Memphis TX 79245





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FA

Fatcatblues posted:

Condolences to family and friends! Blues Boy Willie my music mentor my best friend. Thank you for introducing and allowing me to be part of your journey, I will never forget you Your kindness will never be forgotten. FatCatBlues

March 11 at 4:03 PM

MG

Maggie B Garrett posted:

You always will be miss in my life!!!! I will miss you because every year you would always call me on my birthday January 12!!!! & when I called you on your November 28 thank brother you know I were going to be there because no matter where I were you made time for me even when we met up again in California you were there for my husband Ben your hometown friend you were his best man at our wedding in Childress in 1967 and my sister Pearlie my maid of honor in 2000 you came on the bus from Memphis Texas to California were my husband best man and my sister Pearlie again you were indeed a friend even when you would lose my number my baby brother Ostell would tell me I gave William your number he want to called you on your birthday he loved my mother willie Mae Taylor you always would sing the Lord Prayer on my wedding day in Childress in Los Angeles you song the Lord Prayers and at my husband funeral you wanted to sing the Lord Prayers in Memphis Texas I really appreciated everything you did for me & my families I be checking in on my birthday GIRL YOUR BABY SISTER Vera OUR BIRTHDAY IS ON THE SAME DAY 12 OF JANUARY LOVE ALWAYS MAGGIE GARRETT

March 11 at 2:16 PM

AG

Amy Hillhouse Godfrey posted:

William was an outstanding addition to Memphis High School's Senior Class of 1966. He shared his talents with us that year and continued to entertain every reunion he could fit into his schedule. We followed his musical career enthusiastically and ordered tapes and CDs of any of his recordings. He was good to promote his hometown and always seemed glad to greet old classmates. He was one of the reasons that "we're the class that really ticks, Senior Class of '66." Amy Hillhouse Godfrey

March 8 at 1:36 PM



Tribute Wall

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Lashonda Mcfalls shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

My "PawPaw" as my children would say! I meet William when I was a little girl. I had no idea I'd one day be his daughter in law or the mother to his grand kids, Ronald McFalls Jr and Monesheia McFalls or his great grandchildren.. Ethan and Arriya. William was a great father, grandfather and man. I can truly say he had such a positive influence and presence in our lives. Whether he was teaching Monesheia how to curtsy when she wanted to be a ballerina at age 5 to teach Lil Keith how to play the harmonica or teach my son Nathaniel to play the guitar! He was always full of love and we loved him in return ❤️ William was present at everything we deemed important. He listened ... He loved us unconditionally. He will greatly be missed. I promise to tell your great grandchildren everything about you especially how much you loved us ❤️ love you Paw paw!! Job well done !! Now rest in perfect peace ❤️



March 4 at 6:29 PM



Billy Cannon posted:

I had the opportunity to compete against William (High school--Childress vs Memphis) in track in 1965 and 1966, He was an excellent athlete. I also had opportunity to attend his concerts, He was a true talent and a humble person. Rest is peace brother. Billy Cannon

March 7 at 6:24 AM



John Cates posted:

I played music with William on several occasions in Amarillo. They were all wonderful experiences! He was a tremendous musician with great stage presence and powerful voice. I still think of some of the insightful things he said about the Blues. John Cates, McKinney, Tx

March 6 at 1:45 PM



Monesheia Mcfalls shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

We love you so much paw paw ❤️ ❤️ ❤️



March 6 at 5:03 AM



Patricia Mcfalls lit a candle in honor of William.

Patricia Mcfalls lit a candle in memory of William McFalls



March 4 at 6:29 PM



Media

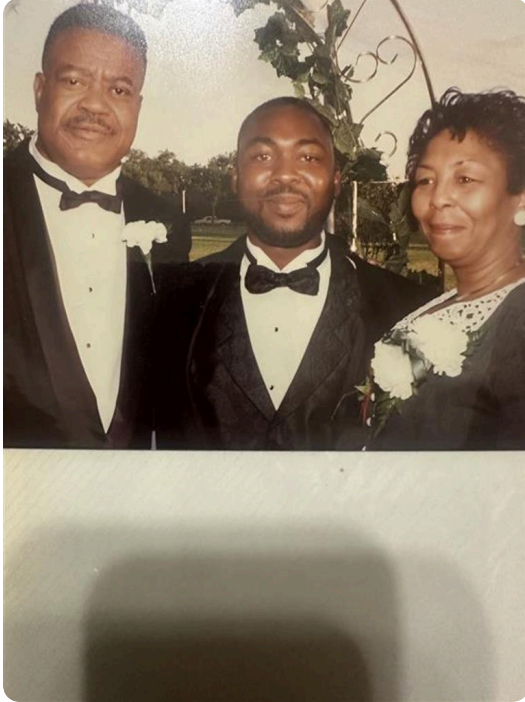
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March 7 at 3:34 PM





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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring William by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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