



## Mr. William James Govan Sr.

February 7, 1951 - June 3, 2014

Mr. William J. Govan Sr., entered into rest on Tuesday June 3, 2014 at Palmetto Health Baptist Parkridge. Funeral services will be held on Saturday June 7, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. from A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel, 2548 Main Street, Columbia.

He was born in Columbia, SC on February 7, 1951 to the late Carrie Levester Hill Govan and James Govan, Jr. At a early age, he was reared in Zion Baptist Church where he also attended. He graduated from C. A. Johnson High School; and furthered his education at Midlands Technical College where he obtained an associates degree in carpentry. Mr. Govan was employed as a camera technician with several television stations to include: WOLO, WIS-TV, and WLTX 19.

Left to cherish memories are his children, William James (Aisha) Govan, Jr., Veronica Olivia Govan (Antonio) Hodges, Elizabeth Theresa Govan (Maurice) Oliver, their mother, Norma Jean Govan and his daughter Felisha Wilson; four grandchildren, Jamari Anderson, Luke Hodges, Javen Govan and Hampton Oliver; an Uncle Eugene (Louise) Frasier and a host of other relatives and friends. A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel are in charge of these arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Service

JUN 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel  
6400 North Main Street  
Columbia, SC 29203  
(803) 254-4673

# Tribute Wall

TH

“ I know it has been several years since William's passing but I only recently discovered this. We worked together at WOLO for only a year in my very first TV job. He and I worked together on a daily basis, we would often do the morning news together (me directing and him doing everything else, because he could)!

*I still remember the sound of his big laugh and the sweetness of his personality. He knew so much and shared that knowledge with me liberally. I was very fond of him and my time at the station.*

*Troy W. Hudson*

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**Troy W. Hudson** - June 19, 2023 at 03:09 PM

EA

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this time “It will be the little things that you will remember, the quiet moments, the smiles, the laughter, and although it may seem hard right now, it will be the memories of these little things that help to push away the pain and bring the smiles back again.”

*Erica Anderson  
Case Manager  
USC School Of Medicine*

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**Erica Anderson** - June 07, 2014 at 08:22 AM

TH

“ Liz, I am praying for you and your family. Know that God is with you always. Read Psalm 23 as you go through this time. Love Tammy Hill

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**Tammy Hill** - June 06, 2014 at 08:18 PM

KK

“ Veronica... You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers during this time of loss.

*Kathy*

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**Kathy Knight** - June 06, 2014 at 01:06 PM

KK

“ Kathy K. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity S pray for the family of Mr. William James Govan Sr..



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**Kathy K.** - June 06, 2014 at 12:59 PM

TF

“ To the kids of William Govan, we all are deeply sadden for the loss of your father. May God be with you all during this time. Our prayers and sympathy are with you.

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**The Candlewood neighborhood family** - June 06, 2014 at 08:47 AM

DA

“ Denise Askew lit a candle in memory of Mr. William James Govan Sr.



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**Denise Askew** - June 05, 2014 at 07:17 AM

DA

*Veronica,  
My prayers are with you, my friend.*

*Denise*

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**Denise Askew** - June 05, 2014 at 07:33 AM

VH

*Thank you Denise! I appreciate your support.  
Veronica*

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**Veronica Hodges** - June 06, 2014 at 06:13 AM

TL

“ *Veronica,  
Please accept my most heartfelt sympathies for your loss...my  
thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time.*

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**Theresa Leflore** - June 04, 2014 at 08:34 PM

VH

*Thank you Theresa. I appreciate your support and words of comfort.  
Veronica*

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**Veronica Hodges** - June 06, 2014 at 06:14 AM



Veronica  
Hodges

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**Veronica Hodges** - June 04, 2014 at 09:38 AM

JF

*We were out of town when we heard of Govan passing . We will miss his smile, laughter and jokes, rest in peace Govan you are in heaven, no more pain Our Deepest Sympathy*

*From:*

*Johnny and Jean Fryer*

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**Johnny and Jean Fryer** - June 10, 2014 at 08:10 PM