



## Willie G. Ponds

March 7, 1946 - April 7, 2023

Mr. Willie G Ponds, 77, of Frankfort, entered eternal peace on Friday, April 7, 2023, at his residence. Services will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home on Saturday, April 22, 2023, at 12:00 p.m. with Dr. Rosby Glover officiating. Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. service time on Saturday, April 22, 2023.

He was born on March 7, 1946, to the late Velma Ponds-Nelson in Tallapoosa County, Alabama. Raised in Waverly, Alabama, Willie graduated from Lafayette High School in Lafayette, AL and Opelika State Vocational Technical School in Opelika, AL, where he earned a degree in HVAC.

Employed by Tuskegee Institute as a HVAC technician, Willie was offered a better opportunity for he and his family and moved to KY in 1976, where his career continued as the HVAC superintendent with Kentucky State University for 29 years.

Mr. Ponds is survived by his loving wife, Janette Ponds, of Frankfort; his son, Cedric (Shelley) Ponds, of Lawrenceburg; a daughter, Bettina Ponds, of Jeffersonville, IN; one sister, Earlean Ponds, of Opelika, AL; a sister-in-law, Betty Ponds, of Auburn, AL; one granddaughter, Maya Murphy, of Lawrenceburg; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Along with his mother, he is preceded in death by a brother, John Ponds. Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home & Crematory.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **22**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Harrod Brothers Funeral Home  
312 Washington Street  
Frankfort, KY 40601  
(502) 227-4526  
hbfh@harrodbrothers.com  
<https://www.harrodbrothers.com>

## Service

APR **22**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Willie G. Ponds*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *Janette,*

*Our sincere condolences to you and your family. You are in our thoughts and prayers 🙏*

*William and Lillian Graham*

**Lillian Graham** - April 21, 2023 at 01:30 PM



“ *Lillian Graham lit a candle in memory of Willie G. Ponds*



**Lillian Graham** - April 21, 2023 at 01:20 PM



“ *Desiree Howard lit a candle in memory of Willie G. Ponds*



**Desiree Howard** - April 12, 2023 at 08:28 PM