

## Harry O Williams

September 22, 1930 - July 24, 2017

Services for Harry O Williams, 86, of The Woodlands, Texas, will be held on Friday, July 28, 2017 at 11:00am at Stewart Family Funeral Home with Dr. Brent Shook, Wayne C. Schilleci, Sr. and Zachary A. Schilleci officiating. A private burial will be held at Flint Cemetery in Flint, Texas under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Mr. Williams passed away Monday, July 24, 2017 in Spring, Texas.

He was born September 22, 1930 in Jacksonville, Texas to Dewey and Loi Williams of Flint, Texas.

Harry was a member of First Baptist Church of The Woodlands. He graduated from Tyler High School in Tyler, Texas and attended Tyler Jr. College.

He was a Golden Gloves Boxer, owner of The Plum, the "Go to" Teen Center in Tyler in the late 60's and Color commentator for the Tyler Junior College Apaches with Virgil Stone when they won the Junior College Basketball Nat'l Championship. He was a music publisher, a weekend Country DJ in Tyler.

Harry retired from Allstate Insurance and later owned and operated the Oreck Store in Tyler. Harry was the life of his Sunday School class. His warmth and smile comforted most everyone he ever met!

Harry was preceded in death by his parents; his wife of 64 years, Juanita Marie Whitaker Williams; his brothers, Bill and Charles Williams; and grandson, Christian Schilleci.

He is survived by his loving family including his son, Dan and wife Stephanie Williams of Franklin, Tennessee, daughter Debbie and husband Wayne

Schilleci Sr. of The Woodlands, Texas, grandchildren Wayne Schilleci Jr. and wife Wendy of Spring, Texas, Jennifer And husband Retired Master Sergeant Lance Dammeyer of Franklin, Tennessee, Dan II and wife Deanna Williams of Summertown, Tennessee, Audrey and husband Dr. Brent Shook of The Woodlands, Texas, Kindle and Lieutenant Colonel Devrim Brown of Clarksville, Tennessee, Zachary Schilleci and his fiancée Hannah Waid of The Woodlands, Texas, and Cole Beck Williams of Franklin, Tennessee and 16 great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his sister Patricia (Trish) and her husband Tommy Graham of Noonday, Texas and his dear friend, Iris Yohn of The Woodlands, Texas.

Pallbearers will be Dan Williams II, Zachary Schilleci, Cole Beck Williams, Wayne Schilleci Jr, Dr. Brent Shook, Lance Dammeyer, and Devrim Brown. Honorary pallbearers will be David Williams and Tommy Graham.

Visitation is scheduled at 10:00 am on Friday, July 28, 2017 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway, in Tyler.

In lieu of flowers, Harry requests donations be made to the Flint Cemetery, P O Box 109, Flint, TX 75762.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Stewart Family Funeral Home  
7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy  
Tyler, TX 75703  
(903) 581-2008

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Stewart Family Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Harry O Williams



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**Stewart Family Funeral Home** - July 28, 2017 at 11:01 AM



“ Stewart Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Harry O Williams



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**Stewart Family Funeral Home** - July 27, 2017 at 03:29 PM



“ Harry Williams was best of friends with my daddy, Raymond J Hill. Harry and Juanita memories are in so many of my mother's (Mable Hill) stories. We loved Harry William's, too.

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**Linda Hill Lane** - August 12, 2025 at 10:53 PM

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“ Such fond memories when Harry O. and I arranged the Williams - Jones family reunion in Flint, TX with extremely good attendance by both sides, and Harry O. begged me to sell him our next Lincoln Cartier Town Car, which I did in 2003.

We talked and laughed many hours regarding the Williams - Jones joint life experiences.

*"Baby Ray" and Marsha Jones*

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**"Baby Ray" and Marsha Jones** - August 26, 2017 at 09:24 PM



“ 3 files added to the album Life Tributes



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**Stewart Family Funeral Home** - July 28, 2017 at 08:14 AM



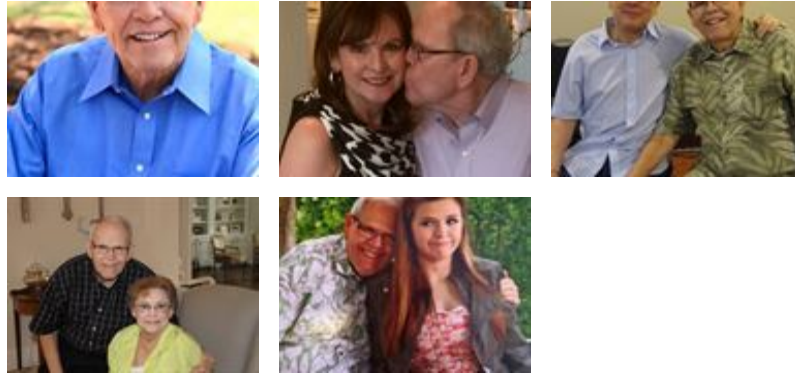
“ Dave always enjoyed visiting with Harry. Harry managed to have many businesses and successful in all. Oreck is still going strong! We hope to be at visitation in the morning, but our real estate business is "driving us nuts" right now. If we do not make it it is not because we are not trying. Blessing to all the family, Dave and Carolyn Bain

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**Carolyn Bain** - July 27, 2017 at 07:57 PM



“ 95 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Stewart Family Funeral Home - July 27, 2017 at 03:25 PM

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“ Curtis, Mirian, Zac Farrar purchased the *Heavenly Grace Spray* for the family of Harry O Williams.



Curtis, Mirian, Zac Farrar - July 27, 2017 at 02:46 PM



“ *Basket of Memories* was purchased for the family of Harry O Williams.



July 26, 2017 at 10:49 AM

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“ Harry and Juanita Williams were my parents' (Mable and Raymond Hill) dear friends. I have heard so many stories of all of their fun times together. Harry has kept up with me and my brother, John, through the years. In the wonderful era of Facebook, we were able to communicate often. I have never posted a picture of my grandkids that Harry didn't post a sweet comment, and likewise. Harry was so proud of his kids, grandkids, and greats. Although Harry had hundreds of friends and family members waiting to greet him in Heaven, I like to think of him and my Daddy visiting, laughing, and catching up on old times. I'm glad Harry and Juanita were part of our family's life.

Linda Hill Lane

Linda Hill Lane - July 26, 2017 at 10:07 AM

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Harry and Jaunita we're the go to counselors for Trish and me as teenager. We would sit on their bed... tell Jaunita most of the things we we're learning all about. She was so wonderful with questions and advice! So happy to be one of Harry's FB friends! He loved me and my children! Always had precious comments about each one! I love you Harry and love your darling family. Trish was my first friend in Tyler. Soon, her entire family was my family too! He will be so missed! So happy he is with his Nita and all of his precious family! Fly high Harry. We will see you soon!

Nancy Miller - July 26, 2017 at 01:19 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Harry O Williams.



July 25, 2017 at 04:54 PM

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“ *My cousin, Wayne Jones, and Harry were good friends. I can still see Harry and Wayne together. They certainly enjoyed life. Wayne would say "What we gonna do, Harry?" He was a good man. I talked to him before I moved to Florida. Rest in Peace, my friend*

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**Gloria Gilley** - July 25, 2017 at 10:20 AM