



Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis

November 1, 1957 - August 5, 2018

Lisa Pamela Johnston Willis

Lisa Pamela Johnston Willis, 60, beloved wife, daughter, mother, sister and friend passed away unexpectedly at Mobile Infirmary on August 5, 2018 in Mobile, Alabama. Funeral services will be held Saturday, August 11, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. at Covenant Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Nancy Scarborough and Rev. Dr. William "Biff" Coker will officiate. The family will receive friends at Covenant at 10:00 a.m. Saturday until funeral time.

Lisa was born November 1, 1957 in Cape May, NJ. She graduated from Deerfield in 1975. She attended Auburn University and made the absolute most of her time there. She remained an avid Tiger fan and loved attending football games with her family. Lisa was a debutante, former member of the Junior League of Albany, member of the Charity League of Albany and organizer of the Albany GA Kids of the 70s group. She volunteered at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital for several years. She worked as a medical transcriptionist.

Lisa recently reconnected with her high school sweetheart, William Beniah (Rocky) Willis and married him in 2014 after a whirlwind romance. They have spent the last four years traveling, attending concerts and festivals, and living life to the fullest. She told friends and family often that she had never been happier.

Her family and friends will remember her as being fun loving and full of life. She was simply magnetic and her quick wit, wisdom and her lively sense of

humor made her a joy to be around. She enjoyed traveling and loved spending quality time with her friends and family. Her favorite place in the world was on the balcony of the family condo in Panama City Beach, FL. Most important to Lisa was her family, who she loved dearly. She was fiercely loyal and devoted to her family, friends, and those she loved. Lisa was preceded in death by her mother, Pamela Tyler Johnston, and husband, Paul (Rob) Berry Robertson. She is survived by her doting husband, William Beniah (Rocky) Willis, her loving father, Proctor Morgan Johnston Jr., her daughter and “person”, Morgan Seegmueller Burnette (husband Jason), beloved son, Tyler Malone Seegmueller, brother Proctor Morgan Johnston III, uncle Steve Howard Johnston (wife Kate), nephew Proctor Morgan Johnston VI, niece Raines Elizabeth Johnston, cherished cat, Callie and many lifelong friends she considered family. All adored her. Former husband Tom Seegmueller (wife Kelly) is the father of her children. She was incredibly excited to become LiLi and welcome her first grandchild in February 2019. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Chehaw, 105 Chehaw Park Rd., Albany, GA 31701 or the Albany Humane Society, PO Box 3151, Albany, GA 31707.

To share your thoughts with the Willis family, you may visit our website at www.kimbrellstern.com.

Cemetery Details

Crown Hill Cemetery

1907 Dawson Rd
Albany, GA 31707
(229) 883-6600

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 11. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Covenant Presbyterian Church
2126 WW. Edgewater Dr.
Albany, GA 31707

Funeral Service

AUG 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ *Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis*

May 22, 2023 at 01:29 AM



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“ *Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *Gayle Hill lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis*



Gayle Hill - September 12, 2018 at 08:32 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy for your loss. Prayers for the family.*

Orelia Futch Morris - August 14, 2018 at 05:19 PM

LL

“ *What a shock to us all. Lisa was so good to me for many years. I so appreciate her including me in the friends' get togethers. She kept me connected with many friends and this means the world to me. God Bless you all. I will see you soon. With deepest sympathy and love, Lark*

Lark Ledbetter - August 09, 2018 at 04:25 PM

ME

“ *Michael Amd Cindy Gatlin Edwards lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis*



Michael amd Cindy Gatlin Edwards - August 09, 2018 at 11:47 AM

ME

Our Deepest Sympathy to Rocky, Mr Proctor, All the children, and families, and friends, of Lisa Johnston Willis! May GOD provide Strength, Peace, Love, help, and comfort that You need, at this difficult time, and especially, understanding! God is our Father, and God is Faithful! Look unto HIM, for all your answers, and needs! GOD IS GREAT, and he will answer your questions, and give you a clear pic of what all has happened! May his Grace, Mercy, and Love, be enough, to HELP you get through anything, that you need help with! Our Hearts go out to all of you! Lisa is with her mother now, and may she Rest in Eternal Peace! Amen

Michael amd Cindy Gatlin Edwards - August 09, 2018 at 11:57 AM

LR

“ *Lisa Ranew sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis*



Lisa Ranew - August 09, 2018 at 09:46 AM

DK

“ *Our deepest condolences on the loss of Lisa. Praying God’s comfort, Grace and Peace on her loved ones.*

Debra Knight - August 08, 2018 at 07:47 PM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis.*



August 08, 2018 at 03:50 PM

DP

“ *We are heartbroken for Lisa’s family. Thomas & Dimi Williams*



Dimi Pace - August 08, 2018 at 12:41 PM

KM

“ *The first time I met Mrs. Lisa, she hugged me and talked to me as though she had known me for years. Her eyes lit up when she talked about the accomplishments of her daughter—you could see how much she loved her kids by the sound of her voice. I am glad to have met such a nice person. Her family will be in our prayers during this difficult time.*

Kayla Myers - August 08, 2018 at 11:48 AM



“ *Bob Stinson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis*



Bob Stinson - August 08, 2018 at 10:57 AM



“ *Eddie And Lisa Hunt lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis*



Eddie and Lisa hunt - August 08, 2018 at 02:41 AM



“ *Clay, Nickolette, Kale, and Hannah Banks*



Nickolette Banks - August 07, 2018 at 10:10 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis.*



August 07, 2018 at 09:11 PM

KP

“ Kirk and I are heart broken for you. Praying for strength and sending love to all

Kirk and Robin Pichelmayer - August 07, 2018 at 08:50 PM

JA

“ Her sweet, funny temperament is just how she was, from day one I'd imagine. She was kind, inclusive and always sought to pull everyone together. It has been a great gift to reconnect with her at the First Annual Kids' of the 70s in Albany. We had adjoining rooms which couldn't have been more perfect and fun. The laughs and memories flowed effortlessly all weekend. Lisa oversaw the event, the party, the after-party and the brunch before everyone went their separate ways.

The way I remember Lisa, after a 40-year gap, is exactly the same as I experienced her the first 17 years of our lives; fun, funny, on every party guest list (because why wouldn't she be?), and purely giddy about life.

It does a heart good to see someone so sincere in her love of her family and friends find the 'love of her life'. She and Rocky showed us all what it looks like not to waste a single day. They made the very most of their woefully short time showing the rest of us how it's done.

My heart is breaking in two for all those she held so dear and for myself for low those many years in-between meetings. Losing her is so hard. Remembering her will be a breeze.

Rest Sweet Lisa.

Janet

Janet - August 07, 2018 at 02:39 PM

JS

What a beautiful heartfelt tribute which perfectly describes Lisa and also the love that she and Rocky shared. Joanne Stripling Smith

Joanne S. Smith - August 07, 2018 at 02:12 PM

VE

“ I cannot begin to tell you that the news was heartbreaking. Please know Rocky, Proctor, and Family my thoughts and prayers are with you. May Gods strength be yours. Gina Eager

virginia eager - August 07, 2018 at 01:57 PM

SK

“ Lisa, you will be dearly missed by a multude of family and friends. You had the biggest heart of anyone I have ever known. Thanks for your prayers last week. You will be sadly missed. God bless you my friend.

Saye keKear - August 07, 2018 at 01:33 PM

CI

“ We are so sorry to hear of Lisa's passing. She was a caring, loving, and giving person whose candle burned out way before her memory ever will. Words cannot comfort your grieving hearts. Please know we share as well as others your pain and grief. We will continue to pray God will wrap His arms around each of you and give you the peace and comfort you need at this time the days ahead.

*With Love,
Bubba, Cathy Ivey and family*

Cathy Ivey - August 07, 2018 at 11:24 AM

CJ

“ Christine Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis



Christine Jenkins - August 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

CH

“ Cheryl Hickman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis



Cheryl Hickman - August 07, 2018 at 07:58 AM

MM

“ Proctor, I'm so sorry for the untimely death of Lisa. Know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Love, Mimi Holzendorf Maloney



Mimi Holzendorf Maloney - August 06, 2018 at 05:03 PM

FM

“ FCarol Crittenden Mixon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis



fCarol Crittenden Mixon - August 06, 2018 at 04:49 PM

WR

“ I am so very sorry to hear of Lisa passing away. She was always a smiling, thoughtful, sweet friend at Johnston's Men's Store and afterwards. She will be deeply missed by all that had the privilege of knowing her. Bill Russell

William Russell - August 06, 2018 at 11:52 AM

LJ

“ Lisa McDearmid Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis



Lisa McDearmid Jones - August 06, 2018 at 11:40 AM

AG

“ To know her was to love her. She always had time for anyone her needed her. Her smile and positive attitude was contagious. She will be greatly missed. Rest in Peace my precious friend.



Adele Griffin - August 06, 2018 at 11:24 AM

MC

“ Marsha Robertson Crosby lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis



Marsha Robertson Crosby - August 06, 2018 at 10:43 AM



“ *My mind is having trouble wrapping itself around the fact that Lisa is gone. Seems only yesterday when Lisa and Morgan were small children full of life.*

John Peters

O Lord God we come to You at this time of great shock and grief and ask that in Your grace, You would shed Your peace and comfort to the entire Johnston and Willis families and all who are mourning this death - that was so sudden and so very unexpected.

Lighten our darkness O Lord we pray and comfort our sorrowing hearts. Pour Your peace that passes all understanding into the hearts of all that are grieving and shower the assurance of Your love on all - at this time of sadness.

Lord we are not to grieve as those who have no hope - those that have not trusted in Christ as Savior, for our hope and trust is in You and our eyes are looking to You for strength, encouragement and comfort at this time of great sadness.

Lord it is at a time like this that we suddenly begin to realize the great frailty of life and the brief portion that we are permitted on this earth. Cause all who are grieving here today to take stock of our own, individual lives and help us to be wise and to number our days. Help us to live our lives as unto the Lord, knowing that at any time You may choose to call us home as well.

Thank You Father, that our times ARE in Your hands and there are no sudden deaths in Your economy. May we live wisely from this day forward and use us we pray, to be a comfort to others who may experience similar times of great sadness, In Jesus name we pray,

Amen

John Peters - August 06, 2018 at 09:53 AM

AD

“ Anne Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis



Anne Davis - August 06, 2018 at 09:07 AM

BP

“ We are filled with deep sorrow over the loss of Lisa Johnston Willis. We are praying for peace and comfort for all those who loved her so.

Bettina Pichelmayr - August 05, 2018 at 11:29 PM

LW

“ Lisa was a light in the lives of all who knew her. Love, thoughts and prayers for Rocky, Morgan, Proctor and the extended family.



Lee Hogg Williams - August 05, 2018 at 10:59 PM

MC

“ Our hearts are broken the corley family.

michael corley - August 05, 2018 at 09:57 PM



“ Terry & Beverly Cannon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis



Terry & Beverly Cannon - August 05, 2018 at 09:37 PM



“ Rickey Cumbie lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Johnston Willis



Rickey Cumbie - August 05, 2018 at 09:32 PM