



IF I CAN HELP SOMEBODY

(A B Androzzo)

If I can help somebody, as I pass along,
If I can cheer somebody, with a word or song,
If I can show somebody, how they're travelling wrong,
Then my living shall not be in vain.

Chorus:

My living shall not be in vain,
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If I can help somebody, as I pass along,
Then my living shall not be in vain.

If I can do my duty, as a good man ought,
If I can bring back beauty, to a world up wrought,
If I can spread love's message, as the Master taught,
Then my living shall not be in vain.



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SERVICE IN LOVE AND MEMORY



Sunrise
August 7, 1954

Sunset
December 31, 2023

MINISTER WILLIAM ANTHONY GREEN

Saturday, January 6, 2024

11:00 AM

Clark S. Brown & Sons Funeral Chapel
727 North Patterson Avenue
Winston-Salem, North Carolina
Pastor Timothy Quattlebaum, Officiating

OBITUARY

William Anthony Green, known to family and friends as “Pig”, was born August 7, 1954 to William Bates and Bessie Mae Green in Winston-Salem, NC.

He received his formal education locally and attended Atkins High School. Later he found employment opportunities, made use of his talents, and touched the lives of those he encountered. William worked at Baptist Hospital in Housekeeping for ten years, then at Hanes Dye & Finishing for seven years. He drove for the Winston-Salem Transit Authority (WSTA) for two years and finished his career doing what he loved best, in ministry at the Male Mission in Burlington, NC.

William was a licensed minister and served in that capacity at Living Water Non-Denominational Church and at The Mission in Burlington, NC. He enjoyed sports, especially football and enthusiastically cheered for both the Denver Broncos and the Carolina Panthers. In his other favorite pastime, he collected watches and cars.

He passed away on December 31, 2023 and was as preceded in death by his parents; son, Ricardo Green; son-in-law, Will Marshall; a cousin, Veronica Jones “Bunk” and an aunt, Shirley Green.

Those who remain to cherish his memory include his spouse, Eleanor Green; four daughters, Lamarcia Reaves, Wautika Miller (Cory Matthews), Tamelia (Miguel) Keaton, and Demetria Marshall; seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren; a brother, Ricky Green; special cousins, Pastor Melinda Quattlebaum, Pastor Timothy Quattlebaum and Pastor Jessie Jones; several cousins, nieces and nephews. Additionally, William had two close friends, Steve Johnson and Jerome. William had several other friends at church including Pastor Honeycutt. He was loved and will be missed by his Men’s Mission in Burlington, NC.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Holy Scriptures

Old Testament

Pastor Carl Gray
New Life Community Church, East Spencer, NC

New Testament

Minister Miguel Keaton

Prayer of Comfort

Minister Miguel Keaton

Resolutions

(One to two minutes)

Solo

Pastor Carl Gray

Eulogy

Pastor Timothy Quattlebaum

Recessional