



Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Lee Williams, Jr.

September 23, 1975 - May 27, 2025

Name: Lt Col Samuel Lee Williams, Jr.

Born: September 23, 1975, Orlando, Florida

Parents: Betty T. Williams and Samuel Lee Williams, Sr.

Education: Oak Ridge High School

University of Central Florida, Orlando, Florida

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Daytona Beach, Florida

Employment: United States Air Force (USAF)

On May 27, 2025, Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Lee Williams, Jr. received perfect heavenly peace. Samuel was born in Orlando, Florida, and graduated from Oak Ridge High School. Through his studies, he garnered a total of two bachelor's degrees and one master's degree. He joined the United States Air Force in 1999 and was later commissioned in 2004 upon completion of the Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) at the University of Central Florida.

Throughout his military career Samuel served in various Manpower and Personnel positions. Most recently, he served as ROTC Detachment

Commander for Jackson State University in Jackson, Mississippi, as well as the professor of Aerospace Studies.

Samuel was passionate about advising Airmen with the wisdom and insight he gained during his life and career, ensuring that he motivated his students, mitigated disciplinary issues, and graduated Air Force leaders of character dedicated to serving our Nation.

He was known as a caring individual, always willing to help those in need. He was hard-working, dedicated, and loved his family dearly.

He leaves to cherish his memory...his wife: Major Tiffany J. Williams, USAF; sister: Lovevia R. Williams, Orlando, Florida; brother: Michael L. Windom (Susie), Orlando, Florida; niece and nephews: Bobbie Harris, Shemar Batie, Kevin Mason, Michael Windom, Jr., and Dallas Windom, all of Orlando, Florida; along with a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, in-laws, other loving relatives, and friends.

Cemetery Details

Edgewood-Greenwood Cemetery ~ Apopka

141 South Edgewood Drive
Apopka, FL 32703

Previous Events

Public Visitation

JUN 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Zanders Memorial Chapel
232 W. Michael Gladden Blvd.
Apopka, FL 32703
(407) 886-3388

Funeral

JUN 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

Temple of Faith Church
1028 Marvin C. Zanders Avenue
Apopka, FL 32703

Tribute Wall

OR

“ From your classmates of Oak Ridge High School, Class of ‘94.”
Take your rest Brother, we’ll meet again in the Morning...

ORHS - June 08, 2025 at 10:04 AM

WL

“ If there ever was a young man that walked in the Spirit of Excellence it was Sam Williams. Sam and I met at Oak Ridge High School. We both were cadets in the AFROTC curriculum and members of the varsity football team. It was a honor to have known this young man. He is truly the epitome of an officer and a gentleman. One day all of Gods children shall meet again. Until then, I bid you a restful night my brother but in the morning we shall all rejoice.

Willie Lucas - June 07, 2025 at 01:31 PM



“ Clear Memory Frame-Large was purchased for the family of Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Lee Williams, Jr..



June 07, 2025 at 09:42 AM

GE

“ My sincere condolence to this family. I crossed path with LTC Williams once on the campus of Thee Jackson State University!! May the Lord "hold and keep" the bereaved family and strengthen each of you.

Georgia - June 06, 2025 at 03:58 PM

NA

“ Sam,

We started our careers together in 2004 at BPOC and both of our final assignments were at AFROTC Det 006! Your dedication to excellence, perseverance and sacrifice was always beyond reproach and the lives that you've shaped and impacted are countless! Thank you for your selfless service. You will be missed. Until we meet again my friend....God bless! 🇺🇸

Natosha



Natosha - June 06, 2025 at 03:07 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Lee Williams, Jr..*



June 06, 2025 at 11:10 AM

JU

“ *Jackson State University purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Lee Williams, Jr..*



Jackson State University - June 05, 2025 at 01:38 PM

JS

“ JAMES SCOTT lit a candle in memory of
Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Lee Williams, Jr.



JAMES SCOTT - June 05, 2025 at 07:04 AM

AS

“ AEPA Staff purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for
the family of Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Lee
Williams, Jr..



AEPA Staff - June 04, 2025 at 12:32 PM

CW

“ Charlie Mae Warren lit a candle in memory of
Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Lee Williams, Jr.



Charlie Mae Warren - June 03, 2025 at 09:35 PM