

Hill Memorial Gardens in Columbia.

Active pallbearers were Masonic Brothers. Honorary Flowerbearers were C.C. Johnson Consistory #136 and Cairo Temple #126. Flowerbearers were friends of the family.

Born April 20, 1916 in Ridgeway, he was the son of the late Linder and Sallie P. Harrison. He began his early education in the public schools in Ridgeway and later transferred to Morris College in Sumter. While serving in the United States Army from 1943 to 1946, he received the Earnest Campaign Medal, Good Conduct Medal and the ATO Campaign Medal. In 1949, he took over the management of the family business. He joined Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church at an early age and received distinguished service award as an affiliate of the Shell Oil Company in recognition of valued business association. He served on the advisory Board of Trustees for the Ridgeway Public School and was a supporter of the NAACP. He was a member of the Purity Lodge #42, where he served as Senior Deacon, Junior Warden and Senior Warden. He became a member of the C.C. Johnson Consistory #136 and in 1974, he joined Cairo Temple #125 of the Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order of the Mystic Shrine. In 1985, the Fairfield

County Planning Commission renamed Road #650 the Mood Harrison Road. In 1992, he was tapped to be enrolled in the Morris College Athletic Hall of Fame with recognition for his performance with the football

Survivors are his widow, Thelma Harrison; daughter Latricia Lester of Miami, Fla.; one son and daughter-in-law, SFC Willie Harrison Jr. and Mildred Gordon Harrison of Copperas Cove, Texas; two grandsons, Marcus and Rashad Harrison of Copperas Cove, Texas; foster brother-in-law, Flemon Buggs of Queen Villiage, N.Y.; three sisters-in-law, Viola Jenkins of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., Helga McRae of Stuttgart, Germany and Jean Harrison of Detroit, Michigan; brothers-in-law, T.C. McRae of Long Island, N.Y. and David Jenkins of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.; and other relatives.

Palmer Memorial Chapel was in charge of

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Willie Mood Harrison Sr.

RIDGEWAY - Willie Mood Harrison Sr., 81, died Monday, Aug. 11, 1997 at his home.

Services conducted by the Rev. Dr. Westbury Neal were held Friday, Aug. 15, 1997 at Mount Pisgah Baptist Church.

Funeral followed in

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