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Geneva M. Williams

Geneva Murray Williams, 78, of Hilton Head Island died Tuesday, March 23, 2004, at Life Care Center of Hilton Head.

She was the widow of Deacon Richard Williams.

Mrs. Williams was born March 7, 1926, on Hilton Head, a daughter of Isiah and Viola Burke Murray.

She was educated in the local public schools. As a young girl, she joined Queen Chapel AME Church. After moving to Savannah, she joined the Central Baptist Church and was a member of the choir and other church auxiliaries. She was a member of the Mt. Moriah Chapter No. 37 Order of the Eastern Star. She worked as a caregiver in the home health industry until becoming ill.

Survivors are three stepchildren, Lavern Williams of Atlanta, and Delores Williams and Richard Williams Jr. of Hilton Head; one sister, Mary H. Ford of Hilton Head; two brothers, Harry Murray of Hilton Head and Oliver Murray of Savannah; and other relatives and friends, including Margaret Campbell and Mamie Hamilton.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday at St. James Baptist Church, 209 Dillon Road, Hilton Head. Burial will follow in Joe Pope Cemetery on Hilton Head. The body will lie at the church from 10 a.m. Tuesday until the hour of services.

Marshel's Wright-Donaldson Home for Funerals is in charge of arrangements.