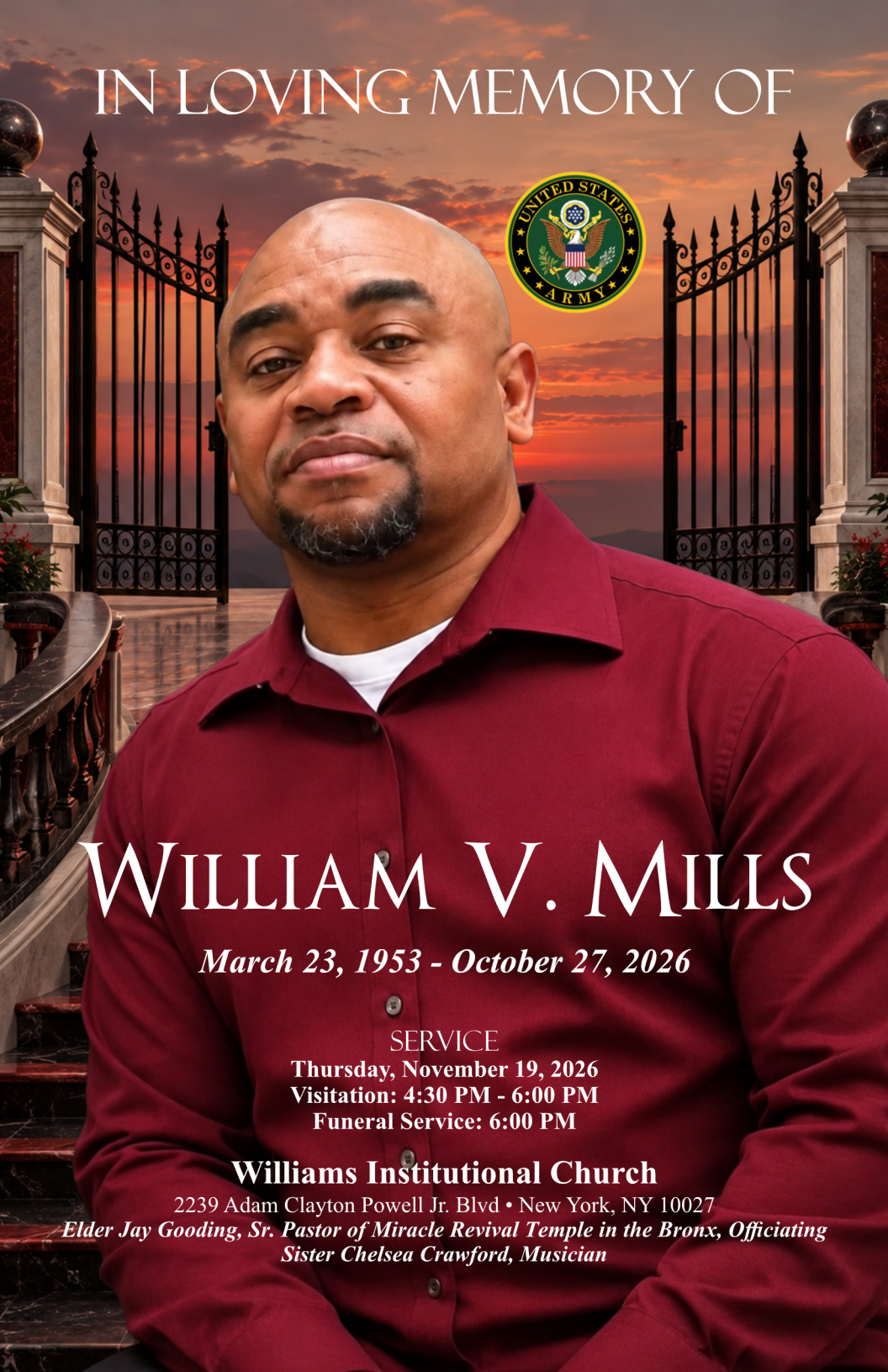
IN LOVING MEMORY OF



WILLIAM V. MILLS

March 23, 1953 - October 27, 2026

SERVICE

Thursday, November 19, 2026
Visitation: 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM
Funeral Service: 6:00 PM

Williams Institutional Church

2239 Adam Clayton Powell Jr. Blvd • New York, NY 10027

Elder Jay Gooding, Sr. Pastor of Miracle Revival Temple in the Bronx, Officiating
Sister Chelsea Crawford, Musician

OBITUARY

William Vincent Mills, lovingly known as "Chickie", was born on March 23, 1953. He was the eldest of four children, born to Jeanice Wells Mills and William Henry Mills. Chickie attended St. Lucy's and Aviation High School. He also completed a year of higher education. Chickie answered the call to duty by enlisting in The United States Army. He received an honorable discharge. Chickie was a lover of life, music, movies, sports, and especially wrestling which was one of his favorites. He also liked dressing up and attending The Apollo Theater with his sisters. The disciplines was highly valued by him. At the age of fifteen, Chickie earned a third-degree blackbelt in karate. Chickie treasured family. He married Rosemary Mills. From the union, a son, Jovaughn Mills, and daughters, Yvonne Diop and Mariesa Scott. Chickie was always willing to lend a helping hand to all he encountered. Chickie was a father, brother, uncle, friend, counselor, and protector. Preceding him in passing, his parents, Jeanice Mills and William H. Mills, his wife, Rosemary Mills, and his sister, Crystal Mills White. He leaves to mourn his son, Jovaughn Mills, and daughters, Yvonne Diop and Mariesa Scott, sisters, Darcel Mills and Tracey Mills Hoyte, nieces, Ashika, Waltaya, Myosha, Crystal, great-nieces and great-nephew, Danielle, Tayanna and Pedro, grandchildren, Alleyah, Abdoulaye, Amir, Zion, Zariah, beloved family members, special friends, Madison, Taleeha, and his absolute Pearisce, and a host of other dear friends. We love you. We miss you. We will never forget you. Rest In Peace.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Selection
"Walk Around Heaven All Day"

Scripture

Prayer of Consolation

Selection
"Amazing Grace" - Soloist Dana Hanchard

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Selection
"Oh Happy Day"

Eulogy

Viewing

Benediction

Recessional



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The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing.
He makes me lie down in green pastures,
he leads me beside quiet waters,
he refreshes my soul.
He guides me along the right paths
for his name's sake.
Even though I walk
through the darkest valley,
I will fear no evil,
for you are with me;
your rod and your staff,
they comfort me.
You prepare a table before me
in the presence of my enemies.
You anoint my head with oil;
my cup overflows.
Surely your goodness and
love will follow me
all the days of my life,
and I will dwell in the house
of the Lord forever.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement.
May God Bless and Keep You!

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