

Celebration of Life

A portrait of Willie Edward Finley, a man with a beard and mustache, wearing a blue baseball cap with a logo and a light-colored collared shirt. He is smiling slightly. The background is a warm, golden-brown gradient.

Willie Edward
FINLEY

July 18, 1959 - November 15, 2018

Wednesday, November 21, 2018 | 1:00 p.m. ET

Rehoboth Baptist Church

206 Huguley Road Valley, AL 36854

Rev. Karanja Story, Pastor & Officiator

Bishop Micah Bonner, Eulogist

Obituary

Mr. Willie E. Finley, affectionately known to his family and friends as Weno, was born to the late Walter Finley and the late Marylene Kimble Finley in Troup County, GA on July 18, 1959. He was called home on November 15, 2018 at East Alabama Medical Center, Opelika, AL.

He was employed by West Point Home for thirty four years.

He was preceded in death by his son, Edwin “Mond” Finley, a sister, Mary Jean Finley, and a brother, Michael E. Finley.

He leaves to cherish his precious life: three daughters, Shameka (Bobby) Finley, Shenitres Finley, and Jasmin Finley all of Valley, AL; two sisters, Gwendolyn Finley of Valley, AL and Debra A. (Dwayne) Warren of Birmingham, AL; one brother, Nathaniel E. Finley of Valley, AL; eleven grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and a special friend, Kiesha Summers.



Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Selection.....Rehoboth Choir

Scripture.....Rev. Venson Vaughns

Prayer.....Rev. Karanja Story

Solo.....Sis. Jolanda Barnes

Words of Comfort.....Rev. Terry L. Magby

Solo.....Bro. Jermarion Polen

Remarks.....Two Minutes Please

Obituary Read Silently

Acknowledgements.....Min. Gretchen Holloway

The Eulogy.....Bishop Micah Bonner
Liberation Christian Ministries

Recessional

Organ Postlude



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“Miss Me But Let Me Go”

When I come to the road
and the sun has set for me,
I want no rights in a gloom filled room.

Why cry for a soul set free?

Miss me a little but not for long.
And not with your head bowed low.
Remember the love that once we shared.

Miss me but let me go.

For this is a journey, we must all take,
and each must go alone.

It's all part of the master plan
a step on the road to home.

When you are lonely and sick at heart,
Go to the friend we know.

Laugh at all the things we used to do.

Miss me but let me go!

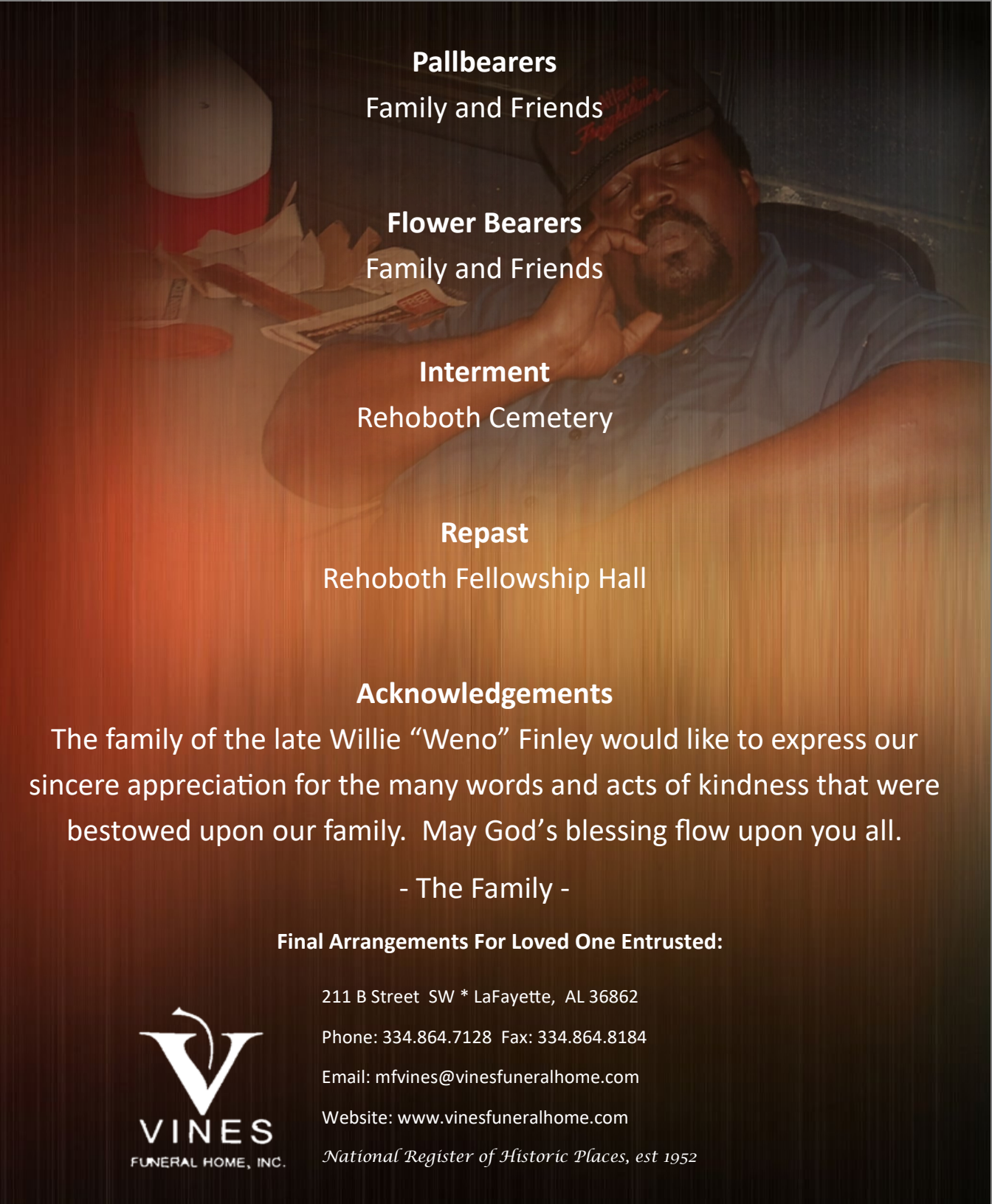


“He Only Calls the Best”

God saw you were tired
and a cure was not to be,
so He put his arms around you
and whispered “come to me.”

With tearful eyes we watched you
and saw you passed away.
Although we love you dearly,
we cannot make you stay.

A golden heart stopped beating,
hardworking hands at rest.
God priced our hearts to prove to us
He only calls the best.



Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Flower Bearers

Family and Friends

Interment

Rehoboth Cemetery

Repast

Rehoboth Fellowship Hall

Acknowledgements

The family of the late Willie “Weno” Finley would like to express our sincere appreciation for the many words and acts of kindness that were bestowed upon our family. May God’s blessing flow upon you all.

- The Family -

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