



Mr. Percy Bernard Gill

September 7, 1972 - March 28, 2019

Percy Gill was born on September 7, 1972 in Wetumpka, Alabama, and he is the son of the Late Lorenzo Gill and Idell Gill of Wetumpka. Percy attended Wetumpka High School where he was an accomplished athlete.

Percy gave his life to Christ at a young age and is a faithful member of Words of Life Church in Wetumpka, Alabama. Following college, viable career opportunities presented themselves in Atlanta, Georgia for several years; however, Percy returned home to Wetumpka to pursue his dreams as a businessman, real estate developer, and public servant.

Percy's strong passion and commitment to civic participation developed from observing his mother Ms. Idell Gill and childhood mentors Mr. & Mrs. Berry, Mr. Isom Thomas and Mr. Jerome Gray. Percy has served on several committees and boards including: Project Manager for The 50th Anniversary of the Montgomery Bus Boycott, the steering committee for Leadership Elmore County and graduate of the inaugural class, helped with the creation of Elmore County Economic Development Authority, former board member of Elmore County Community Foundation, and City of Wetumpka Industrial Development Board. Percy served the community as Wetumpka City Councilman of District 2 and Chair of the Elmore County Democratic Conference (ADC).

Some accomplishments that he is most proud of include being a member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., part of community efforts that established the renaming of the Wetumpka Recreation Center to the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Recreation Center and helping to establish the first Boys & Girls Club in Wetumpka. Percy's was committed to helping African Americans improve their quality of life by gaining more educational and economic development opportunities.

Percy was instrumental in assisting numerous elected officials throughout the state to create and run successful campaigns and to realize their goals of serving the citizens of the state of Alabama. Percy was truly blessed, but more importantly, he was a blessing to all of the people that he touched. Percy departed this life on March 28, 2019. He was preceded in death by his father Lorenzo Gill, Grandmother Alsie Mae Smith, A special aunt Margaret Johnson, and special cousin Micheal Elmore . He leaves to cherish is memory, his devoted wife, Christen Lamonica Gill, one son, Joshua Lorenz Gill, one daughter Porsha Lavonsha Murphy, his mother Idell Gill, his grandmother Pennie Rose Smith, sister Lakerri Gill, sister Yanesha Mitchell, sister Leslie (Richard) Riffle, brother Peondre Gill, brother Darrell Gill, one Special Niece Keliscia ZyDarrian Ward. Twenty-two aunts and uncles Arizona (Houston), Alsie Mae Hill, Ruthie Nell (Sam), Edie (Larry), Edward Smith, Dollie Mae (Phil), Charles (Keyosha), Rebecca (Sonny), Steve (Rose) John (Tammy), Bobby(Precious), Leanza J., George, Matthew, Dan, James, Amos, Robert, Jeremiah, Lenzie, Alberta (James); God Mother Ida Brisbon, God Father Yancey J. Mitchell III, God sister Ladoris Russell; special cousins Travis Bozeman, Stephanie Daniels, Dwight Parker; special friends Ryne Buycks, Lamar Rawls, Bradley Cook, Darryl Sinkfield, and Quinton Ross. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, April 3, 2019 at 1:00 pm from True Divine Baptist Church, 4601 Troy Hwy, Montgomery, AL. Burial at Hillside Memorial Gardens with Hillside Memorial & Gardens directing.

Cemetery Details

Hillside Memorial and Gardens.

3274 Central Plank Road
Wetumpka, AL 36092

Previous Events

4601 Troy Hwy

APR 3. 1:00 PM.

True Divine Baptist Church
Montgomery, AL

Tribute Wall



“ Hillside Memorial & Gardens created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Percy Bernard Gill



Hillside Memorial & Gardens - April 02, 2019 at 11:57 AM

CM

REST WELL PERCY 🙏🙏🙏

Christi Murphy-Thomas - April 02, 2019 at 10:47 PM



Rest well, Percy!

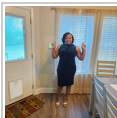
Joffrey Moore - April 02, 2019 at 11:11 PM



Tonya Denson

Beautiful Tribute....

Tonya Denson - April 02, 2019 at 11:28 PM



Rest Well, Percy!

Tamella Ball - April 02, 2019 at 11:42 PM

SS

Rest well in heaven Percy 🙏

Sheila Shuford - April 03, 2019 at 03:07 AM



*We will miss you Percy...
DeRon Merkerson*

DeRon Merkerson - April 03, 2019 at 03:28 AM



*Our prayers, love and our condolences, goes out to the family.
Moreover, Percy was an anointed, amazing, and awesome Man if God.
He has left an indelible mark in our hearts; we will always love him.
May Jesus continue to comfort, shower His Love on the family,
strengthen
the family, and all of Percy's friends!
We love you,
Bishop Frank T. and Dr. Hurdis Bozeman*

Dr. Hurdis Bozeman - April 03, 2019 at 07:11 AM



Heavenly Rest 🙏🙏🙏

Janice Thomas - April 03, 2019 at 08:06 AM



*Father wrap your loving arms around this family give them strength.
Rest in the arm's of Jesus ,Percy you will be missed.*

Shirley Bowman - April 03, 2019 at 08:15 AM



*We have truly loss a wonderful cuz, brother, community leader, father,
husband and Idell's son. Cuz you're are missed, but never forgotten.
The Stinson's.*

Emily M. Stinson & Family. - April 03, 2019 at 09:11 AM



*Rest well Percy..
You are in the best hands now..
Much love*

Helen Ross - April 03, 2019 at 12:28 PM

FM

Sending my CONDOLENCE and prayer to the GILL family RIP PERCY!! FAYE MAYS

Faye Mays - April 03, 2019 at 01:15 PM

AG

My condolences to the Gill Family.. Rest Well Percy.. Alice Milner Gipson.

Alice Gipson - April 03, 2019 at 02:00 PM

PE

Rest well Percy....  

Pipa' K. Elzie - April 04, 2019 at 12:41 AM

BW

Prayers and Condolences to the family!

Betty Walker - April 04, 2019 at 12:42 AM

DO

My condolences go out to the smith and gill family .Idell love you Doris


DORIS - April 04, 2019 at 05:34 AM

JP

Great home going service. "REST WELL PERCY"

James (Charlie) Pierson - April 04, 2019 at 08:59 AM

WD

An amazing service for an amazing Servant!! Prayers for the days ahead!! 

WillieMae Duncan - April 06, 2019 at 08:39 PM

ED

I LOVE AND MISS U PERCY REST WELL SWEETHEART

Ediebozeman - June 13, 2019 at 01:33 PM

RR

“ *Rosa Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Percy Bernard Gill*



Rosa Robinson - September 22, 2023 at 09:29 AM

PR

“ *Idell, I'm so sorry for your loss. Percy was a wonderful young man. Always kind and caring to all of us here in Birmingham. You did an outstanding job. I know your heart hurts now, but focus on the beautiful memories. We're all devastated by the news of his passing and we're praying for you all. God will give you strength to live with such a great loss. I love you cuz, Penny.* 🙏💕

Phyllis Penny Rowser - April 06, 2019 at 06:36 AM

LR

“ *My grandmother Marie Stiff taught him in school! We send our condolences to the family! Rest Well Percy B. Gill. You will be missed by many! Let your legacy live on forever!*

Lauren Rudolph - April 03, 2019 at 03:41 PM

SJ

“ *Heaven has gained a wonderful angel. Rest well Percy*



Sheila Nelson Milner Jackson - April 03, 2019 at 10:31 AM



“ *Rev. Bernard and Cynthia . purchased a sympathy card for the family of Mr. Percy Bernard Gill.*



Rev. Bernard and Cynthia . - April 03, 2019 at 07:30 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Percy Bernard Gill.*



April 02, 2019 at 10:37 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Mr. Percy Bernard Gill.*



April 02, 2019 at 08:54 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Percy Bernard Gill.*



April 02, 2019 at 06:19 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Percy Bernard Gill.*



April 02, 2019 at 05:16 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Percy Bernard Gill.*



April 01, 2019 at 03:38 PM