

Dorothea Smith

Dorothea Smith, 65, of Palatka, entered the sunset of life on Wednesday, Nov. 9, 2005, at Putnam Community Medical Center following a brief illness.

A native of Bunnell, she resided in Palatka since 1979. She was a member of Redeemed International Outreach Ministries.

Her parents, Marvin and Carrie (McDonald) Smith; daughters, Drucilla Brayboy and Gloria Jean Armstrong and grandsons, Antoine Jett and William Drafts preceded her in eternal rest.

To cherish her memories: fiance, Robert Crowley Sr. of Palatka; children, Patricia A. Smith, Tony (fiance Demetra Jenkins) Brayboy, both of Palatka, Delores (Eugene Jr.) Briggs-Foster, Jannie (fiance Stanley Cooper) Hamilton, both of Jacksonville, Rosemary (fiance L.C. Jett) Johnson of Baltimore, Robert (Amber) Crowley Jr. of Gainesville, Willie (Erica) Crowley of Bronson and Christine Lynette Crowley of Williston; brothers, Marvin Smith Jr. of Tampa; 13 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren 15 step-grandchildren and a host of nieces, including Brittany Burke, nephews, other relatives and caring friends.

Visitation of family and friends will be from 5-8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 18 (today), at the Chapel of Serenity. Homegoing services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday at Redeemed International Outreach Ministries, 1202 Madison St., Palatka, with Pastor Shawn J. Johnson, eulogist. Interment will be in Pattersonville Memorial Cemetery, East Palatka.

Arrangements are entrusted to the care of Flagg Serenity Memorial Chapel.