

Marion S. Williams

Marion Smith "Mammie-Tail" Williams, 78, of Palatka entered the sunset of life on Sunday, Aug. 14, 2011 at her residence.

A native and lifelong resident of Palatka, she was the daughter of Jimmie Lee Wilson and Newton Smith, born on Sunday, Feb. 5, 1933, and was educated in the Putnam County School District. "Mammie-Tail" was a farm laborer and was formerly employed by the Talley Box Co. and Florida Furniture Industries. She enjoyed fishing, spending time with her family and socializing with her friends.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in eternal rest by maternal grandparents, James and Estella (Conish) Calhoun.

Marion leaves to cherish her memories beloved son Carlton D. Smith Sr., Palatka; devoted daughter Denise Turner, Palatka; loving sister, Olivia Nelson; 10 grandchildren, Carlton Smith Jr., Obidiah (Veronica) McCaskill, Tiffany (Willie) Nelson, Carmen Beauford, Antonio (Tremaine) Howard, Travis (Matoya) Howard, Angela (Bernard) Dasher, Tabitha (Tavoris) Williams, Daryl Smith, Toccara Smith; 26 great-grandchildren, two great-great-grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends; her faithful pet Chihuahua, Daddy 'O Williams.

Visitation of family and friends will be from 5-8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 19 at the "Chapel of Serenity." Homegoing Celebration will be 11 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, at the Palatka Church of God by Faith, 1511 Washington St., Elder Phillip Thomas, Pastor. Pastor Errol V. Melendez, of Jesus is the Way Ministries, is the eulogist. Interment will be in Pattersonville Memorial Cemetery, East Palatka.

The cortege will assemble 10:20 a.m. Saturday at the family's residence, 2604 W. Main St., Apt. A-105, Palatka.

Friends may sign the Williams family's guestbook at www.flaggserenitychapel.com.

Arrangements are entrusted to the care of Karl N. Flagg Serenity Memorial Chapel, 2400 Madison Street, Palatka.