Charles H. Walker

Charles H. Walker, 65, of Palatka, passed away Thursday, Sept. 14, 2006, at Putnam Community Medical Center following an extended illness.

He was a native and lifelong resident of the East Palatka-Palatka area and an Army veteran. He was employed for many years at the Florida Furniture Industries.

Preceding him in death are his parents, Earnest and Gladys (Burke) Walker.

Survivors are his daughter, Shonda (Clarence Jr.) Walker-Givens of East Palatka; sisters, Bernice Walker of Palatka and Gloria P. (Lawrence) Thompson of Jacksonville; three grandchildren; nephews, Michael Thompson and Todd Thompson, both of Jacksonville, Craig Savall (Asad Bey), Alex Jenkins (Tarig Bey) and Kevin Walker (Khalid Bey), all of Palatka; and other relatives and caring friends.

Visitation hours will be from 5:30-9 p.m. Friday (today) and from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 23, at the D.A. Boyd & Sons Funeral Home, Palatka. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 23, at Mt. Olive A.M.E. Church, Pine Street, East Palatka, with the Rev. Julius Jackson Sr., pastor of Mt. Nebo Missionary Baptist Church, East Palatka, officiating. Interment will follow in the Pattersonville Cemetery, East Palatka.

Funeral services are under the direction of D.A. Boyd & Sons Funeral Home, Palatka.