

## Order of Service

Processional ..... “Total Praise”  
Organist

Hymn ..... “How Great Thou Art”

### Life Reflections Video

### Scripture:

Old Testament ..... Psalm 121 ..... Elder Costell Cross  
New Testament ..... John 14:1-6 ..... Elder Rosalind Carter

Prayer ..... Elder Reginald Caldwell

Hymn ..... “Great is Thy Faithfulness”

Words of Comfort ..... Bishop Rudolph McKissick, Sr.  
Bishop Rudolph McKissick, Jr.

Recessional ..... “Soon and Very Soon”  
Organist

### Pallbearers

Trustees and Diaconate Ministry

### Flower Attendants

Diaconate Ministry of the Bethel Church

### Acknowledgements

On behalf of the family, we wish to express our sincere appreciation and gratitude to all the many friends who supported us during this difficult time. Your kindness has been a great source of strength to us. May God continue to richly bless each of you for your various expressions of love.

~The family of the late Alainna L. Taylor

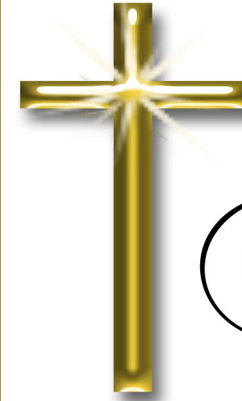
### Interment

10:30 AM, Monday, April 11, 2016  
Jacksonville National Cemetery  
4083 Lannie Road  
Jacksonville, Florida 32218

Arrangements in Care of:



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# In Loving Memory



**Alainna Laverne McIntel Taylor**

August 28, 1955 — April 1, 2016

~Service~

10:00 AM, Saturday, April 9, 2016

**Bethel Baptist Institutional Church**

215 Bethel Baptist Street  
Jacksonville, Florida 32202

**Bishop Rudolph W. McKissick, Jr., Senior Pastor**  
**Bishop Rudolph W. McKissick, Sr., Pastor Emeritus**

## Obituary

**Alainna Laverne McIntel Taylor** was born on August 28, 1955 in Jacksonville, Florida to the late Washington and Mattie Ruth McIntel. Nicknamed 'Punkin' from the very beginning, Alainna was the youngest daughter of three. Alainna, known for her bright, beautiful smile, breezed through school and graduated from Sandalwood High School in 1973.

Soon after graduating, Laverne followed in her big sisters footsteps to Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Florida. It was there she met the love of her life, Robert Taylor, her future husband and soul mate. They married in 1983, and had three children: Roman, Rachel, and RuthAshley. She held various positions at Blue Cross and Blue Shield within the telecommunications department. A member of many teams, church committees, the MS Society organization, and the occasional bowling league. Alainna made many lifelong friends.

**Alainna** was diagnosed with MS in her late twenties and fought her fight for over 30 years with grace and poise. The degenerative disease eventually led to her inability to walk, but could never take away her light. Never one to complain, she was quoted saying "If I let my illness define me, then I wouldn't be able to be thankful for all of God's other blessings... at least He gave me something that doesn't hurt." Even in the end, that light never burned out.

Left to cherish her life is her devoted husband Robert, and children, Roman (Christy), Rachel (Scott), RuthAshley, Regina, Ronald (LaTonya), and Robin; grandchildren, Lily, Kevin, Randall, Kristopher, Damion, Ronald Jr, and Aaliyah; sisters, Estella (Jimmy) Groover and Jonette Johnson; and a host of nieces, nephews, and other extended family members.



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