

Interment: Private

Funeral By: TS Warden, Jacksonville, FL

- The Family -

The family of the Late Mrs. Ida Collins would like extend a heart-felt "THANK YOU" to everyone who shared in our grief. Whether you brought food by, sent a card, called to offer condolences, prayed for us or just had a warm thought in your heart for us, we thank you! May God bless each of you in a very special way.

Acknowledgements



Sunrise: April 26, 1946

Sunset: May 27, 2016

Celebration Of Life

for

Ida Louise Curry Collins



Saturday, June 4, 2016
11:00 AM

Zion Hope Missionary Baptist Church

2803 Edgewood Avenue, Jacksonville, FL

Rev. Dr. Clifford Johnson, Jr Presiding

Obituary

For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God and the dead in Christ will rise first. (1 Thessalonians 4:16).

On Friday, April 26, 1946, Ida Louise Curry made her grand entrance into this world in Dothan, Alabama. She was born to Eleanor Curry. Ida attended elementary school in Dothan, Alabama and later moved to Jacksonville, FL with her parents, William and Eleanor and attended the local schools here. She was a graduate of the 1964 class of Stanton High School. She worked for Mercury Luggage as a supervisor. Her continued employment included Vistakon, Delta Air Lines and most recently, retired from I.M. Sulzbacher Center. This was her 3rd retirement.

Ida was a former rider of the Jacksonville Trotters Motorcycle Club, known as "Sexy Ida". She later became a member of the group Riders Motorcycle Club, and lastly a member of the River City Motorcycle Club, known as "Sweetthing".

She was known to share wisdom and motherly knowledge to many people she knew. If you needed anything-food, clothes....she was always willing to help and she did. She had a generous heart.

Ida was more than a daughter, she was the oldest and her mama's best friend. She was more than a mom; she was a counselor and a confidant. She was more than a sister; she was like a mother to all of us. She wasn't just a co-worker; she was "Big Sister" to them. She was more than a Nanna or Auntie, she was someone whom everyone loved and respected. She loved her family!!!

On Friday, May 27, 2016, Ida made her transition to her new home. About a week earlier she talked about getting some new furniture. She has it now in her mansion in the sky. She was preceded in death by her brother, Fred Anthony Curry, and sister, Cynthia Gail Mines. She leaves to cherish and celebrate her life: son—Louis Simmons, Jr. (Tiffany); grandchildren: Jacquez Simmons, Zaria Simmons, and Jaylen Simmons; mother—Eleanor Curry Young; brother Keith Curry (Jackie); sisters: Patricia James (Vander), Sonja Alexander (Jeffrey), Juanita (Penny) Curry, Donna Montgomery and Doris Adams; special friends: Jessie Lowe (who was like a brother) Robin Wright, Gloria Daniels and Juanita Gaulden; a special niece—Shontia Carter, who was like a daughter, and a HOST of nieces, nephews and sorrowing friends, whom she truly LOVED.

Order of Service

Processional

Musical Prelude

Processional Selection.....Choir

Scriptures

Old Testament.....Isaiah 40:28-31..... Pastor Damon Green, Impact Church

New Testament.....John 14:1-7 Pastor Damon Green, Impact Church

Invocation.....Minister

Selection....."I Surrender All"Seonondra Thornton

Acknowledgements

Remarks.....(2 Minutes Please)

As a BrotherDeacon Keith Curry

As a Friend.....Gloria Daniels

As a Co-Worker.....Eva Dortch

Selection....."I Know I've Been Changed"

Words of Comfort.....Rev., Dr. Clifford Johnson, Jr.

Recessional....."Every Praise"

Honorary Pallbearers.....River City Motorcycle Club

Flower Attendants.....Friends and Family