

## *Flower Attendants*

Usher Ministry

### *"I'm Free"*

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free. I'm following the path God laid you see. I took His hand when I heard him call. I turned my back and left it all. I could not stay another day to laugh, to love, to work to play. Tasks left undone must stay that way. I found that peace at the close of the day. If my parting has left a void, then fill it with remembered joy. A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss, oh yes, these things, I too will miss. Be not burdened with times of sorrow, I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow. My life's been full; I savored much, good friends, good times, a loved one's touch. Perhaps my time seemed all too brief; don't lengthen it now with undue grief. Lift up your hearts and peace to thee, God wanted me now, He set me Free.

### *Acknowledgements*

We would like to say "Thank You" for your cards, food, flowers, and most of all your prayers during our hours of bereavement. May God continue to bless and keep each of you.

~The family of the late *Yvonne L. Sims*

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*Yvonne L. Sims*

*February 6, 1952 — December 21, 2016*

*Service*

*11:00 AM, Friday, December 30, 2016*

*Mt. Bethel Missionary Baptist Church*

*1620 Helena Street  
Jacksonville, Florida 32208*

*Pastor Robert E. Herring, Sr., Officiating*

## Homegoing Celebration



**Yvonne Lillian Sims** was born on February 6, 1952 to John H. Collins and Doris A. Sims in Jacksonville, Florida. She attended the local schools of Duval County, graduating from Eugene J. Butler High School. Yvonne worked for the Duval County School Board, retiring after 30 years of service. Yvonne was a member of Mt. Bethel Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Pastor Robert Herring, she served in District 11 and her leader was Deacon Eddie L. Prime.

**Yvonne** departed this life on Wednesday, December 21, 2016. She was preceded in death by her parents, John Collins and Doris Sims; brother, Earl W. Sims.

**Yvonne** leaves to cherish her memories a sister, Alberta Sims Curry; adopted son, Willie Albert Lane; cousins, David Hagler and Pauline Durben; best friends, Min. Shirley Rogers-Woodard, Frank and Emma Rogers; and a host of other relatives and friends.



*Precious Memories*



## Order of Service

*Pastor Robert E. Herring, Sr., Presiding*

**Opening Song**

**Invocation** ..... Minister

**Scripture Reading** ..... Minister

Old Testament  
New Testament

**Ministry in Music**

**Acknowledgements of Condolences**

**Resolutions** ..... Church Clerk

**Reflections** ..... *(Two Minutes Please)*

Family/Friend ..... Min. Shirley Rogers-Woodard

**Ministry in Music**

**Words of Comfort** ..... Pastor Robert E. Herring, Sr.

**Final Rites** ..... Pastor Robert E. Herring, Sr.

**Benediction** ..... Pastor Robert E. Herring, Sr.

**Recessional** ..... "Going Up Yonder"

### *Repast*

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