

Bessie Calloway

Bessie Calloway, 73, Orange Mills, died Sept. 5, 2011 at her daughter's residence.

Mrs. Calloway was born Sept. 10, 1937 to the late Eugene Curry and Mamie Weeks Curry. She attended Central Academy. She later married John Williams, who preceded her in death. She was a bus driver for Putnam County schools and would later go on to drive for St. Johns County schools upon retiring in 2010. She was a member of Elizabeth Baptist Church in Orange Miles and was often a mother to many.

She leaves to cherish her memory, four daughters, Dorothy Campbell, Shirley Williams (Rev. John), Mary Calloway and April Calloway; five sons, Johnnie (Faye) Calloway, Clifford Calloway, Artagus (Wanda) Calloway, Antonio Calloway and Anthony Calloway; 16 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren; one brother, Ed (Paula) Curry.

Viewing will be from 5-7:30 p.m., Friday, Sept. 9 at Mt. Moriah Baptist Church in Hastings. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m., Saturday, Sept. 10 at the church, Pastor Gregory James and son-in-law, Rev. Johns Williams will give the eulogies. Burial will be in Pattersonville Cemetery in East Palatka.

Coleman's Mortuary of Hastings.