

Estella M. Carter

Estella Mae Cooper Carter, 86, of Palatka, entered into the sunset of life, surrounded by her family, Saturday, March 26, 2011, at Putnam Community Medical Center.

She was born Monday, Nov. 10, 1924, in Blackshear, Ga., to Ben and Rosetta (Middleton) Cooper. After relocating to Waycross, Ga., she was united in marriage to Richard Carter and in the early 1960s they moved to Palatka. Estella enjoyed spending quality time with her family and friends, going grocery shopping and crocheting. She was a member of Pentecostal Church Of God In Christ. Estella was preceded in eternal rest by her parents.

To cherish her memories, sons, Raymond J. Blocker, Chattahoochee; devoted son, Deacon Freddy (Sheryl) Martin, Palatka; devoted daughter, Missionary Vernessa (Elder Robert L.) Williams, Palatka; 10 grandchildren: Jeff (Maggie) Williams, Palatka; U.S. Army Sgt. Fredrick (Takeevia) Martin, Fort Stewart (Hinesville), Ga.; Derrick (April) Martin; Robyn Williams; Melissa Williams; Debra Williams; Frenisha Martin; Robert L. Williams Jr.; Aaron Martin and Titus Martin all of Palatka; 10 Great-grandchildren: Jordan, Ariel, Derrick, Cameron, Darrian, Dorrian, Dezonee, Dashawn, Dishaud and Zion; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends.

Home going Celebration will be at 3 p.m. Saturday, April 2, at Pentecostal Church of God in Christ, Palatka, Superintendent Johnny Shaw, pastor, is the eulogist. Interment will be in Pattersonville Memorial Cemetery, East Palatka.

Condolences may be sent to the Carter family's guest book at www.flaggserenitychapel.com.

Arrangements entrusted to the care of Karl N. Flagg Serenity Memorial Chapel, 2400 Madison St., Palatka.