

James L. Morgan

The Rev. James L. Morgan, 66, of Palatka, passed Wednesday, Nov. 12, 2008, at Putnam Community Medical Center following a brief illness.

He was a native and lifelong resident of Orange Mills and the Palatka area, born to the late Rochelle Morgan Sr. and Thelma (Lawton) Morgan. He was educated in the Putnam County School system, ordained as a minister at the 3rd Mt. Tabor Baptist Church, Yelvington, and retired from St. Johns River Community College after 30 years of service in the maintenance department.

Preceding him in death are his parents and brothers, LeRoy Morgan, Rochelle Morgan Jr., Frank Morgan and Christopher Morgan.

Survivors are his son, James P. Morgan, Brunswick, Ga.; sisters, Bernice Washington and her husband, Calvin, and Doris M. Maxwell, all of Daytona Beach; brother, Cecil W. Morgan Sr. and his wife, Carolyn, of Virginia Beach, Va.; four grandchildren, aunts, uncles and other relatives and loving friends.

Visitation hours will be from 5-9 p.m. Friday (today) and from 9-11 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 22, at D.A. Boyd & Sons Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at noon Saturday, Nov. 22, at Bethel A.M.E. Church, 719 Reid St., Palatka, with Bishop Willie Cabbage, pastor of the Supreme Church of Christ, Hollister, as the eulogist and assisted by Elder J. C. Tookes, pastor of Mt. Zion Primitive Baptist Church as the presider. Interment will follow in the Pattersonville Cemetery, East Palatka.

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to the care of D.A. Boyd & Sons Funeral Home, Palatka.