

Evelyn B. Pinkston-Pickens

Evelyn B. Pinkston-Pickens, 64, of Orlando, passed away on Wednesday, April 6, 2005, in Orlando Regional Medical Center in Orlando following a brief illness.

She was a native of East Palatka but resided in Orlando for more than 25 years moving there from West Palm Beach.

Mrs. Pickens was a 1957 graduate of Central Academy High School, Palatka, and a member of Morningstar Baptist Church, East Palatka.

Preceding her in death are her parents, Elbert and Althea (Pinkney) Pinkston; husband, John A. Pickens Jr.; and sister, Doris Tookes.

Survivors are her sons, Ronald (Lois) Williams and Jeff (Jennifer) Pickens, all of Orlando, David Pinkston, West Palm Beach, and John A. III (Tyra) Pickens, Champaign, Ill.; sisters, Delores (Cornelious) Dawson, Doretha (Isaac) Porter, and Martha (Shelly) Jones, all of West Palm Beach and Shirley (Bill) Lee, Los Angeles; brothers, Alphonso Pinkney, New York City, Emory (Janie) Pinkston, Orlando, and Herbert Pinkston, West Palm Beach; 15 grandchildren; and a host of other relatives.

Visitation hours were Friday, April 15, from 5-9 p.m. at the D.A. Boyd & Sons Funeral Home, Palatka, and will be Saturday, April 16, at the Morningstar Baptist Church, East Palatka, 11 a.m. until hour of services.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, April 16, noon, at the Morningstar Baptist Church, East Palatka, with the Rev. Maurice Lloyd, pastor officiating.

Interment will follow in the Pattersonville Cemetery, East Palatka.

D.A. Boyd & Sons Funeral Home, Palatka, is in charge of funeral services.