



Thelma Bob

April 27, 1928 - October 1, 2018

Thelma Allen Bob, affectionately known as “MaDear, Mom, Grandma, and Mother Bob”, was born on April 27, 1928 in Martin County, Florida to the late Frank Allen and Estella Webb Allen. Thelma was one of many siblings born to this union.

As a young girl, Thelma’s family relocated from Martin County, Florida to Sparks, Georgia in Cook County where she attended the local schools.

Thelma confessed her love, belief and faith in Christ at a very early age and was baptized in Sparks.

In December of 1945, Thelma was united in Holy matrimony to Eddie Lee Bob, Sr. To this union six children was born, five sons and one daughter. In 1958, the family relocated to Eustis, Florida and joined Gethsemane Baptist Church, later moving her membership to Greater Zion Hill Missionary Baptist Church, where she was a dedicated member, serving faithfully in the choir and later on the Mother’s Board until her health began to fail. Thelma worked on various jobs, including restaurant and domestic services until her retirement in 1990.

Thelma was preceded in death by both of her parents, all of her siblings, and her eldest son, Gary Bob.

Thelma was called into eternal rest on Monday, October 1, 2018, and left to cherish her love and precious memories are four sons: Emanuel Bob (Tammie) of Mt. Dora, Florida, Eddie Bob, Jr. (Kathy) of Ashland, Virginia, James Bob (Rose) of Apopka, Florida and Theodis Bob (Linda) of Eustis, Florida; one daughter: Carrie Babbit (James) of Chicago, Illinois; eighteen grandchildren; thirty-three great grandchildren and fourteen great-great grandchildren; two sisters-in-law: Barbara Morgan and Dorothy Terry (Roosevelt) of Glenwood, Illinois; two brothers-in-law: OJ Gamble of Auburndale, Florida and Israel Irvin, Jr. of Lauderdale Lakes, Florida along with a host of nieces, nephews, great and great-great nieces, nephews, relatives friends and her Greater Zion Hill Church family. Longtime friends: Verma Jean Evans, Pearlie Nelson, Rosa Blocker and roommate: Barbara Washington.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olive Cemetery

Huffstetler Dr.
Eustis, FL 32726

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 6. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Greater Zion Hill Missionary Baptist Church
611 Ellsey Street
Eustis, FL 32726

Service

OCT 6. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thelma Bob*

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *flora boyd purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Thelma Bob.*



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