



Janet Merriex

May 6, 2016

Ms. Janet Merriex, affectionately known as Mama Jan, was born in Gainesville, Florida on September 29th, 1955 and answered the call from the Lord to rest on Friday, May 6th 2016. She was the youngest of five siblings born to Cenia Merriex and the Late Donal Merriex. After graduating high school, Janet was employed by the Alachua County School Board at Sidney Lanier where she was an integral member of the support staff for thirty four years. She received her AA from City College in Business Administration. She was an active member of Mount Hermon Missionary Baptist Church as well as a member of the Inspirational Daughters of Joy. Ms. Merriex is survived by her children; Joseph Merriex(Gwendolyn), Daytona Beach, FL, Lazarrious Smith, Katina Smith(Benjamin), all of Gainesville, FL, mother; Cenia Merriex, Gainesville, FL, siblings; Donal Merriex(Mary Ann), Witchata Falls, TX, Charles Merriex(Patricia), Tuson, AZ, Mary Harrison, Gainesville, FL, five grandchildren, and three great grandchildren. Funeral Services for Ms. Merriex will be held at 11:00am, Saturday, May 14, 2016 at Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. F.N. Gallmon, Pastor, Rev. Dr. Deloris J. Cain, Officiating; burial will follow in Evergreen Cemetery. Arrangements entrusted to Chestnut Funeral Home, Inc., 18 N.W. 8th Avenue, Gainesville, FL. Ms. Merriex will repose in the Chestnut Memorial Chapel on Friday May 13, 2016 from 2:00pm until 7:00pm, and on Saturday at the Church from 10:00am until the hour of Service. Family and friends are asked to meet on Saturday at the home of Ms. Merriex, 2216 East University Avenue,

Gainesville, at 10:15am to form the Cortege. "A CHESTNUT SERVICE"

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“ *Love ya Sister Jan*

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