



Emma Jean Dennis

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Emma Jean Dennis was born on October 25, 1933 in Abbeville, Mississippi. She was the fifth of ten children born to Granison and Epsie Mathis.

Her parents and siblings, Charles, John Walker "Walk", Joe Willie "Joe Bill", Felton, Gracie, Maggie, Ruby and Faristeen all preceded her in death.

Emma received her education through the Abbeville School System.

She confessed her life to Christ early in life. She joined Gert Jo Dennis in Holy Matrimony on December 27, 1959. No children were born of this union.

Emma later moved to Saint Louis, Missouri and joined Zion Travelers Missionary Baptist Church, where she was a faithful member. She later joined Greater St. Mark Family Church, where she remained a faithful member until her passing.

Emma dedicated years of service in Hospitality, employed by the Sheraton Hotel until she retired in 1982. She earned the "Employee of the Month" Award because of her dedication. She would continue in life, caregiving for friends and loved ones, which was her true passion.

Emma was a loving person with a heart of gold and was kind to everyone. She loved to cook and dance. She enjoyed attending the Mathis family reunions that date back to 1975 and dancing with her family. She loved to shop, travel and go to church. She loved the kids and was instrumental in caring for and nurturing the many generations of her nieces and nephews.

Emma Jean received her Heavenly wings as she quietly slept on Saturday, September 17, 2022.

She leaves to cherish her sweet memories: a loving sister ~ Cassie Washington of Saint Louis, Missouri; caregiving nieces ~ Barbara Haddox, Janice Jones, Bonita (John) Crenshaw and Jennifer Jones all of Saint Louis, Missouri; great niece ~ Tonia Miller of Saint Louis, Missouri; nephews ~ Johnny Vaughn and Andrew Vaughn of Saint Louis, Missouri, Royal Kelly of Davenport, Iowa, Barry



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(Yolanda) Miller of Texarkana, Texas, Walter C. Jones of Saint Louis, Missouri and William (Nishia) Thomas of Houston, Texas; and a host of loving nieces, great nieces, great-great nieces, great nephews, great-great nephews, cousins, relatives, friends, neighbors and an extraordinary friend ~ Mr. Alex Gray of Saint Louis, Missouri.



Events

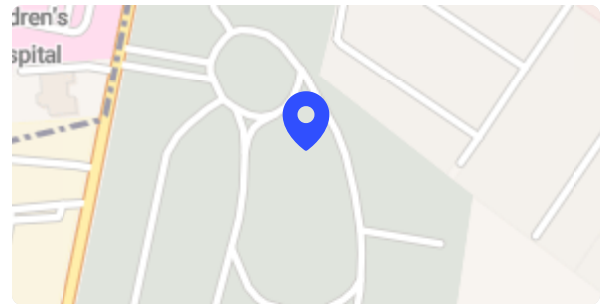
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Burial

Friday, October 7, 2022

1:15 AM - 1:30 AM CT

Laurel Hill Cemetery
2000 North Pennsylvania, Laurel Hill Cemetery
MO 63133

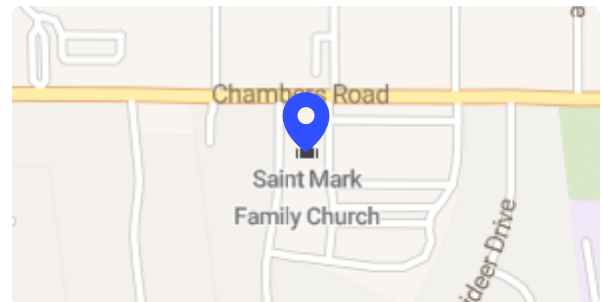


Visitation

Friday, October 7, 2022

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT

Greater St. Mark
9950 Glen Owen Drive, St. Louis MO 63136



Service

Friday, October 7, 2022

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM CT

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McClendon Mortuary And Cremation Services shared the funeral program for Emma Jean Dennis.

October 12 at 5:52 AM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Emma by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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