



Zelma Leontine Richard

April 4, 2014

Zelma Leontine (Taunt) Richard, lived for 86 years before going to her heavenly home; She entered into eternal rest on Friday, April 4, 2014 at 3:07 AM at her home in Goodwill, LA after a lengthy illness; Daughter of the late James Richard, Sr. and Zelma Johnson Richard; "Taunt" was raised by her uncle and aunt, the late Rev. Phillip J. Pittman and Victoria R. Pittman; Stepdaughter of the late Rev. Ellen C. Richard; Beloved and devoted sister of Juanita R. Leonard; Sister of James (Ruthie) Richard, Jr., Janie Malveaux, Yvonne Sanchez, Theresa Richard and the late Antoinette Tassin, Jessie P. Richard and Eva M. Smith; Loving and devoted aunt and mother to Linda L. (Collins) Fernandez, Marsha L. (Alvarez) Williams and Darryl (Cigdem) Leonard, Rhonda MaGee, Trina and Kevin Richard, Marrietta Reed, Kim Edwards, Albert, Jr., Judith and Mary Ellen Malveaux, Theresa and Terrance Sanchez, Wendell Tassin, Sr. and Jonelle Demery; Cherished great aunt of Diedra F. Johnson, E. Lamont Leonard, Alvarez T. Williams, Dr. De'Shondra N. Leonard, Dennis U. Kaufmann and Darriana A. Leonard.

Relatives and friends of the family, pastors, officers and members of the Greater Mt. Olive M.B.C. and all neighboring churches of St. Bernard, Plaquemines and Orleans parishes, employees of Serenity Hospice Services and former employees of F. W. Woolworth Co., Canal and Rampart Store are invited to attend the Musical Tribute at the Greater Mt. Olive M.B.C., 1904 Goodwill Drive, Poydras, LA on Saturday, April 12, 2014, at 11:00 am; A

Funeral Service will start at 12:00 pm; Pastor Clarence Riley, Sr., officiating. Visitation will begin at 9:00 am until service time; Interment: Merrick Cemetery, Violet, LA; Professional services entrusted to DW Rhodes Funeral Home, 1728 N. Claiborne Ave.; Please visit www.rhodesfuneral.com to sign the guest book.

Cemetery Details

Merrick Cemetery

1920 Goodwill Dr.
Violet, LA 70092

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 12. 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Greater Mount Olive Baptist Church
1904 Goodwill Drive
Violet, LA 70092

Service

APR 12. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

BJ

“ *Love always. Rest in peace.*

Barbara Jean - April 11, 2014 at 11:45 PM

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“ *Shonnie and Family,
My prayers are with you all as you go through this period. Know that
there is comfort in the Spirit of God to help you at this time. LOVE
you much!*

Connie Bouligny - April 11, 2014 at 07:34 PM