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Obsequies'

Sister Ardelia Pittman Blount

Saturday, January 30, 2016 11:00 A.M.

Saint Mary Missionary Baptist Church

Jacob City, Florida

Reverend Obadiah White, Pastor/Teacher

Order of Service

Prelude.....Musical Meditation
 ProcessionalMinisters, Family
 Prayer of Comfort Reverend Carl Bailey
 Special Selection -*"I Know You Can't Turn Around"*Saint Mary MBC Choir
 Holy Scripture
 Old Testament Reverend David Pittman
 New Testament.....Apostle Leonard Blount
 Special Selection -*"You Must Be Born Again"*Saint Mary MBC Choir
 Reflections
 As A Friend Eula Johnson
 As A Member Gwendolyn Wright
 As A RelativeAnnie Pearl "*Pearlie*" Blount
 Special Selection -*"Long As I Got King Jesus"* St. Mary MBC Choir
 Acknowledgment..... Christian Memorial's Staff
 Special Tribute The Blount Sisters
 Eulogy Pastor Obadiah White
 Final Words of Expression.....Reverend James John
 Recessional Ministers, Family, Friends

Flower Attendants - Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Earthly Resting Place

Saint Mary's Cemetery

Repast

Saint Mary's Fellowship Hall

Acknowledgements of Appreciation

The family of the late Sister Ardelia "*Aunt D*" Pittman Blount would like to thank each of you for your acts of kindness shown during her illness and death. May God Bless each of you.

The Family

Obituary

Of

Sister Ardelia Pittman Blount

Genesis: June 15, 1924 Exodus: January 22, 2016

Sister Ardelia Pittman Blount "*Dee*", was born June 15, 1924 to the late Joe and Cubie Russ Pittman.

She accepted Jesus Christ at an early age and became a member of Saint Mary Missionary Baptist Church in Jacob City, Florida where she gained knowledge and was often looked upon as the community Historian. Sister Ardelia Blount played an intricate part in the community of Jacob City, and she enjoyed organizing and participating in church affairs in which she remained faithful until her passing.

Sister Ardelia Blount attended the Jackson County Public School System and obtained her high school diploma through the Adult Education Program in 1962.

She worked in a number of vocations to include seasonal rural agricultural farmer, private housekeeping, and later she retired from Vanity Fair as a production worker in Graceville, Florida.

Sister Ardelia was united Holy Matrimony to the late George Blount over 30 years. They happily nurtured to manhood one, Leon Dean Sherman, "*Deanie Boy*",

During his span of life she was committed and dedicated to serve her community and church faithfully. A testament to her lifelong involvement in her hometown included being elected to serve as part of the City Council of Jacob City, Florida.

From the early years, until the end, Sister Ardelia served on the following auxiliaries: Sunday Morning Band, Christian Aide, Pastor Aide, Senior Choirs, Tri-County Choir and Usher Union and Sunday School Teacher. Her greatest love were the children. Many young and aged today remember "*Miss Dee*", "*Sister Dee*" or "*Aunt Dee*" giving Christmas and Easter speeches along with her tokens of love that consisted of quarters nickels, dimes, and gift bags filled with fruit and candy. Many will always remember that her life was filled with so much love demonstrated by her gift of giving, and her smile that impacted everyone.

On Friday, January 22, 2016 at 10:35 A.M., Ardelia Blount transitioned to eternal rest surrounded by her family at the Washington County Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Chipley, Florida, and is now singing in the Heavenly Choir.

Sister Ardelia Blount was preceded in death by her parents, Joe and Cubie Pittman; and the following siblings: Lucrecia, Ethel C. Trudie Mae, Dora Bell, Norah, Carrie, King Moses, Maggie, Rita, Willie and Izetti.

She is survived by one son, Leon Dean Sherman (Mary Jean); three grandchildren: Tamiko Sherman, LeToya Sherman and Leona Robertson (James); one sister: Gladys Meredith; one brother: Joe Nathan Pitman; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.