A Celebration of Life
For

Joanna Campbell-Miller

Saturday, August 4, 2007
11:00 AM
Truine Missionary Baptist Church
1947 31st Street + Sarasota, FL
Rev. Dr. Gregory E. Harris, Sr., Pastor
Joanna Campbell-Miller was born August 10, 1929 in Miami, FL to the late Cyril A. and Esther Farrington Campbell.

She attended school in Dade County and graduated from Booker T. Washington High School.

She accepted Christ as her Lord and Savior at an early age and was united with Temple Missionary Baptist Church in Miami under the late Rev. L. A. Thompson.

She moved to Sarasota, Florida in 1963 and united with Truvine Missionary Baptist Church under the late Rev. J. L. Stephens. Over the next 30 years, she served the Lord through various church activities. She was the assistant teacher for Sunday School Class #4, sang in the church choir, and was a member of the Senior Women Ministry. She also used her culinary talent, for which she was well known, by serving as head of the kitchen committee for hospitality needs of the church. It has been said of her “that if a ministry were to be given in feeding the hungry, Joanna would surely have been ordained.” Her kitchens were her love and cooking was her passion. Yet, she was never at a loss to give testimony about the Lord.

Prior to moving to Sarasota she worked at the Veteran's Hospital in Miami. Upon moving to Sarasota she opened her own restaurant. Later she joined the staff of J. H. Floyd Sunshine Manor and retired after thirty years. She then worked part-time for over ten years for Sarasota County School System in the food services department at Gocio Elementary School. She was a member of the Dietary Manager’s Association.

She leaves to cherish her memories seven sons and two daughters, Nathaniel, Rudolph, Louis (Yvette), Jeffrey (Lisa), and Anthony, all of Sarasota, FL, Toussaint of Baltimore, MD, Stephen Charles (Susan) of Columbus, NC, Lenore “Cookie” of Miami, FL, and Dorothy Ann of Augusta, GA; twenty-four grandchildren; thirty-four great-grandchildren; one sister, Lenore of Miami, FL; several nieces, nephews, and a host of friends.
The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
He leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul:
He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil:
for thou art with me;
thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.
Thou prepares a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:
thou anointest my head with oil;
my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life:
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.
Order of Service

PROCessional
“Blessed Assurance”

Selection - Choir
“City Built Four Square”

Scriptures
Old Testament (Psalm 121)
New Testament (II Timothy 2:19-23)
Rev. Kelvin Lumpkin,
Abundant Life Christian Center

Selection - Rev. Steve Wicker
“I Won’t Complain”

A Tribute to Our Mother
Louis Robison

From a Dear Friend
Doreen Davis, Miami, Florida

Resolutions and Acknowledgements

Obituary
(Read Silently to Musical Medley)

Hymn - Choir
“It Is Well With My Soul”

Eulogy
Pastor G. E. Harris, Sr.

Recessional - Choir
“A time to be born, August 10, 1929, and a time to die, July 31, 2007;…”

Ecclesiastes 3:2
Pallbearers
Miss Joanna Campbell-Miller

Ex Attendants
late Mrs. Joanna Campbell-Miller

Acknowledgements
our warmest gratitude in every aspect of kindness expressed during our time. Your prayers, condolences, and deeds of love have been sincerely appreciated. May God's mercy abide with you always.

The Family

Interment
Palma Sola Memorial Park
Sarasota, Florida

Repast
Missionary Baptist Church
47 31st Street
Sarasota, Florida

Services Entrusted To: Chandler's

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I would like to thank the family for entrusting the service into our care. We pray that our service may alleviate their grief. — Todd Chandler

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