



## Martha Lively Turner

November 15, 2011

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GA - Martha Ann Lively Turner departed this world and went to live with her eternal heavenly Father on Saturday, November 12, 2011.

Martha was born to T.F. and Leah Lively on November 30, 1933, in Augusta, GA. She was preceded in death by her son, Richard Steven Turner, Sr, her mother and father, her three brothers, three sisters, three brothers in law, and one sister in law. She is survived by her husband, Reverend Billy T. Turner, daughter, Robyne T. Hall and her husband, Elwyn, two grandsons whom she dearly loved with all her heart, Richard Steven Turner, Jr. and Trent Talmadge Turner. She is also survived by numerous sisters in law, brothers in law, nieces and nephews.

She spent her early years in Augusta, GA. Upon graduation from high school, she was married and in 1952 began her career with the Federal government at Fort Gordon. In 1958 they moved to Jacksonville where she continued her government career by acquiring a job with the VA. From there she moved on to the IRS and then the Department of Public Health Services, ending with her retirement from Social Security Department of Hearings and Appeals, in 1999. After retirement she continued to work part time for several years and had over forty-five years with the Federal government.

Martha loved taking care of and spending time with not only her immediate family but all of her extended family. She always had a kind spirit and always had a smile on her face for whomever she came in contact with. She was an outstanding cook and loved being involved with and attending church. She was a member of North Jacksonville Baptist Church. She also loved "piddling around" on the piano and organ and listening to Southern Gospel music. One of her favorite pastimes was spending time in her yard growing beautiful flowers and tea olive trees. She was a fabulous flower arranger and enjoyed making beautiful arrangements, especially at Christmas.

A Homegoing service will be held Thursday, November 17, at 1:00 pm from Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church, 3965 Deans Bridge Road, Hephzibah, GA, with Reverence Billy Turner and Elwyn Hall officiating. Mrs. Turner will lie in state for one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow in Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the St Joseph Foundation, Inc. PO Box 31358, Augusta, GA 30903; or The Alzheimer's Association, 1899 Central Ave, Augusta, GA 30904, or to the charity of one's choice.

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