



Julia Graham

March 20, 2009

Julia Cecelia Graham, 80, of Cape Girardeau, MO died Friday, March 20, 2009 at her home She was born August 19, 1928, in Gulf Port, MS, the daughter of Thomas and Mamie E. (Stokes) Reed. She and Joe Graham Jr. were married on January 17, 1949 in St. Louis, Mo.. He died on March 8, 1990 Attended Dillard University in New Orleans, La and also Alabama State . Worked for Ralph Edwards Sportwear and Thorngate Ltd. in Cape Girardeau, Mo. for over 20 yrs. She help organized the Unions at both places. Former president & vice-president of Amalgamated Workers of America AFL & CIO during the 1970"s She is survived by: Daughter-Deborah Graham of Cape Girardeau, Mo. Daughter-Judi Graham of Cape Girardeau, Mo. Son-Vernon Graham of St. Louis, Mo. Brother-Cleveland Reed of St.Louis, Mo. Brother-Ben Reed of St. Louis, Mo. Brother-Joe Reed of St. Louis, Mo. Sister-Amanda Campbell of Venice, Calif. Sister-Ann Mitchell of Harvey, Ill. Sister-Carolyn Watson of University City, Mo. Sister-Eleanor Piccolo of Virginia Beach, Va. She is also survived by 3 grandchildren 7 great grandchildren She was preceded in Death by: Parents, Two daughters, Two brothers and Sister. Friends may call at St. James A.M.E. Church on Wednesday, March 25, 2009 from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Funeral service will be at St. James A.M.E. Church on Wednesday, March 25, 2009 at 1:00 PM with the Rev. Debbie Thornton officiating. Burial will be at Fairmont Cemetery, in Cape Girardeau, MO. Ford & Sons Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ Sorry to hear about the passing of your Mother. She was a dear lady and I enjoyed working with her at Ralph Edwards and Thorngates and will always remember those days.

Sarah Dodds Anderson - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM